

Tejas Brangus Sets First Production Sale, February 8

San Antonio, Texas - Tejas Brangus'

First Production Sale will be held Saturday, February 8, 1986. The sale will be held at the La Mansion del Norte, San Antonio, Texas in conjunction with the TBBA Convention. Selling will be approximately 30

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Miss Texas Brangus Female Sale At San Antonio Sat Feb. 7

San Antonio, Tx. — The 1986 Miss Texas Brangus Female Sale will be held Friday, February 7, 1986. Sale time is 7:00 p.m. at the La Mansion del Norte in San Antonio, Texas. The sale will be held in conjunction with the Tejas Brangus Breeders Association Convention. In conjunction with the Miss Texas Sale will be the 1987 Calendar Page Auction and TJBBA Quilt Auction benefiting the TJBBA Scholarship Fund. Sale manager will be Pierce Sale Company. Auctioneer will be Ruben Reyes. For information contact the Tejas Brangus Breeders Association, Gary Don Harley, Executive Secretary, 505 East University, Suite 605, College Station, Texas 77840, 409/846-8738.

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 All events at La Mansion del Norte, San Antonio, unless otherwise noted
 Friday, February 7 TBBA Convention TBBA Miss Texas Sale
 Saturday, February 8 San Antonio Livestock Exposition Brangus Show (open and junior) at Joe and Harry Freeman Coliseum, San Antonio, Texas
 4:00 p.m. — Cocktails
 6:00 p.m. — TEJAS BRANGUS FIRST PRODUCTION SALE
 8:00 p.m. — Dinner
 10:00 p.m. — Entertainment and Dancing

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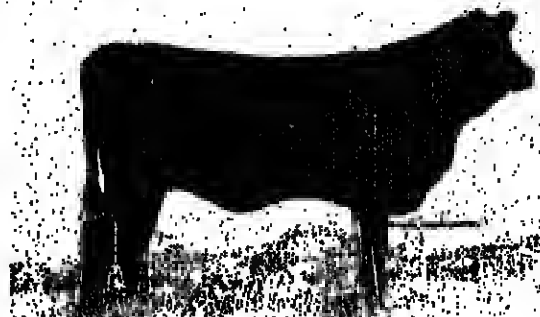
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 La Mansion del Norte
 San Antonio, Texas

Held in conjunction with the TBBA Annual Convention

Manager:
 Pierce Sale Company

Auctioneer:
 Ruben Reyes

TBBA
 Gary Don Harley
 Executive Secretary
 505 E. University, Suite 603
 College Station, TX 77840
 409-846-5733

Schedule of Events
 Thursday, February 6:
 4:00 - 6:00 p.m. — Registration
 Friday, February 7:
 8:00 - 11:00 a.m. — TBBA Committee Meetings
 11:00 - 1:00 p.m. — Open Lunch
 1:00 p.m. — TBBA General Membership Meeting
 3:00 p.m. — TBBA Board of Directors Meeting
 6:00 - 7:00 p.m. — Cocktail Reception
 7:00 p.m. — Miss Texas Female Sale, Calendar Page Auction, and TJBBA Quilt Auction
 Saturday, February 8:
 8:00 a.m. — Open and Junior Brangus Show; San Antonio Livestock Show
 4:30 p.m. — Reception
 6:00 p.m. — Tejas Take Stock Brangus Production Sale
 8:00 p.m. — Dinner
 10:00 p.m. — Entertainment

National Brahmousin Sale At Houston Set For February 18

Houston, Tx. - The National Brahmousin Sale will be held Tuesday, February 18, 1986. Sale time is 2:00 p.m. at the Shamrock Hilton Hotel in Houston, Texas.

Selling will be "One of the most exciting offerings of Brahmousin cattle to sell, from some of the Nation's finest herds."

For information contact the sale committee Carl Detering Jr. 713/648-4386 or 956-6339 or David Hatcher 817/697-6021 or George Wilson 817/426-2767 or the sale management, American Cattle Services, Inc., Rt. 1, Chattanooga, Okla. 73528, 405/335-3006.

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Pinewood Farms Limousin Sale At Houston, Feb. 20

Houston, Tx. - The Pinewood Farms Limousin Sale will be held Thursday, February 20, 1986. Sale time is 12:00 noon at the Shamrock Hilton Hotel in Houston, Texas.

Sale offering is made up of 17 lots including one flush from each of four great Limousin females. Pregnancies from other great Limousin females, a pick of the litter and more.

For information contact Pinewood Farms, Box 1973, Marshall, Texas 75670, 214/777-4629 or the sale management, American Cattle Services, Rt. 1, Chattanooga, Okla. 73528, 405/335-3006.

Cattle Fully Steady, Hogs Sold Steady At Fort Worth

Fort Worth, Jan. 27 (F-S) - Receipts 425. All feeder cattle and calves fully steady with last week's advance. Slaughter cows and bulls mostly 1.00 higher. Demand good. Trade active.

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Hogs 275. Barrows, gilts and sows steady. Barrows and Gilts: US 1-4 200-250 lbs. 44.00-44.50. US 2-4 200-275 lbs. 43.50-44.00. Sows: US 1-3 800-850 lbs. 35.00-36.00. Boars: All weights 25.00.

Grain Futures Mixed Monday

Minneapolis, Jan. 27 (F-S) - Chicago Board of Trade futures.

Monday	Sett.	Change
Wheat:		
March	323	Up 4 1/4
May	285 1/4	Up 1
July	203 1/4	Down 1/4
Sept.	270 1/2	Down 1/2
Dec.	282	NC
Corn:		
March	241 1/4	Down 3/4
May	241 1/4	Down 3/4
July	241 1/4	Down 1/2
Sept.	220 1/4	Up 1/4
Dec.	220 1/4	Up 1/4
March	222 1/4	Up 1/4
Onto:		
March	120 1/4	Down 1
May	122 1/4	Down 3
July	122	Down 1 1/4
Sept.	121 1/4	Down 1/4
Soybeans:		
March	533	Down 1/4
May	548 1/4	Down 1/4
July	557 1/4	NC
Aug.	555	Up 1/4
Soybean Meal:		
March	154.80	Up .20
May	155.80	Up .20
July	158.70	Up .20
Aug.	150.20	Up .20

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7.50x10SL	402284	4	\$53.37	8.00x15	321211	12	\$106.92
7.50x10SL	402278	4	\$51.21	8.00x15	321290	12	\$132.90
8.00x10SL	402244	4	\$60.76	8.00x15	321293	12	\$165.00
8.00x10SL	402244	4	\$111.93	10.00x22	321294	12	\$174.82
10.00x10SL	402240	8	\$72.96	11x24.8	330385-9L	12	\$225.80
11.00x10SL	402210	8	\$123.26	10.00x22	31R022	14	\$269.26
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Delering Brothers, Houston, TX
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E.J. Bishop, Winters, TX

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:
1:00 p.m.-Viewing of Brahmousin Cattle
2:00 p.m.-National Brahmousin Sale
7:00 p.m.-TLA Reception
7:30 p.m.-TLA Banquet

SALE COMMITTEE:
Carl Detering, Jr. Chairman
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Gd.-Ch. Cows	40.00-45.00
Gd.-Ch. Pairs	40.00-44.00
Com.-Med. Cows	35.00-40.00
Com.-Med. Pairs	45.00-49.00

BABY CALVES

Baby calves	25.00-30.00
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JANUARY 24, 1986
Cattle sold this week 1,605, Last Week 1,517, One year ago 1,430. Markets vary active. Stockers and feeders were \$2.00-5.00 higher, with bigger feeder cattle \$3.00-5.00 higher. String of Holstein weighed 814 lbs., \$48.50. Slaughter cows \$1.00 higher.

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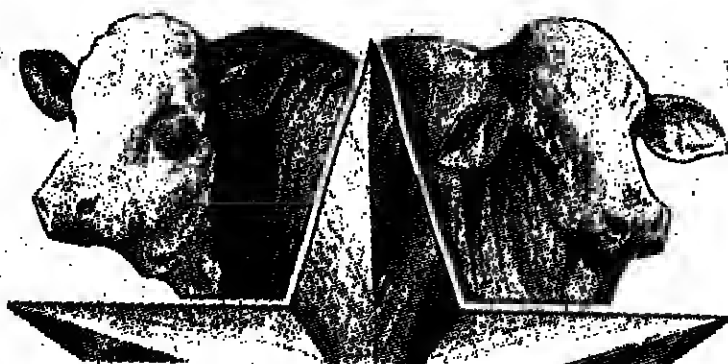
STOCKER & FEEDER CALVES

Gd.-Ch. str. calves	200-300 lbs	65.00-68.00
Med.-Gd. str. calves	200-300 lbs	60.00-65.00
Com.-Med. str. calves	200-300 lbs	70.00-80.00
Gd.-Ch. str. calves	300-400 lbs	75.00-80.00
Med.-Gd. str. calves	300-400 lbs	70.00-75.00
Com.-Med. str. calves	300-400 lbs	80.00-90.00
Gd.-Ch. steer calves	400-500 lbs	70.00-74.00
Med.-Gd. steer calves	400-500 lbs	65.00-70.00
Com.-Med. steer calves	400-500 lbs	85.00-90.00
Gd.-Ch. Hl. calves	200-300 lbs	65.00-70.00
Med.-Gd. Hl. calves	200-300 lbs	60.00-65.00
Com.-Med. Hl. calves	200-300 lbs	70.00-75.00
Gd.-Ch. Hl. calves	300-400 lbs	75.00-80.00
Med.-Gd. Hl. calves	300-400 lbs	70.00-75.00
Com.-Med. Hl. calves	300-400 lbs	80.00-85.00
Gd.-Ch. Hl. calves	400-500 lbs	85.00-90.00
Med.-Gd. Hl. calves	400-500 lbs	80.00-85.00
Com.-Med. Hl. calves	400-500 lbs	90.00-95.00
Holstein St. calves	200-400 lbs	48.00-53.00
Holstein St. calves	400-600 lbs	46.00-50.00

HOGS

Top lvs	41.00-43.00
Sows	34.00-36.00

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SIMMENTAL/SIMBRAH SALE HOUSTON TEXAS

Tuesday, February 18, 1986 • 5:00 p.m. • at the Houston Stock Show & Rodeo
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To be held in conjunction with the 18th Annual American Simmental Association's National Convention (February 17 - 20)

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Champion Of Champions Simmental/Simbrah Sale Set February 18

Houston, Tx. - The Champion of Champions Simmental/Simbrah Sale will be held Tuesday, February 18, 1986. Sale time is 5:00 p.m. at the Houston Stock Show and Rodeo. The sale will be held in conjunction with the 18th Annual American Simmental Association's National Convention, February 17-20.

Selling will be 25 fullblood and purebred Simmental and Simbrah cattle. Auctioneer will be Joe Mitchell. The Champion of Champions Simmental Show will be held February 18 at 8:00 a.m. followed by the open Simbrah show. Sale chairman is Harry Stafford. For information contact the Texas Simmental/Simbrah Association, 12380 West Avenue, Suite 103, San Antonio, Texas 78216. Warren Garrett, Executive Secretary, 712/342-1264 or the sale manager, Dean Taylor, 817/968-8029, Stephenville, Texas 76401.

Stockers & Feeders Up To \$5.00 Higher At Gainesville

Gainesville, Tx. - Jan. 24 - (Special) - Receipts 1,605. Market very active with stockers and feeders \$2.00 to \$5.00 higher. Slaughter cows \$1.00 higher.

Slaughter cows, heller type \$45-\$50; utility & commercial cows \$38-\$40; canner and cutter \$20-\$38; good-chole bulls \$47-\$51; medium-good bulls \$39-\$47.

Stocker and feeder yearlings, steer good-chole \$64-\$69, medium-good \$60-\$64, plain-medium \$54-\$60, heller good-chole \$57-\$59, medium-good \$52-\$57, plain-medium \$47-\$52.

Good-chole cows \$40-\$45, pair \$490-\$540, common-medium \$35-\$40, pair \$480-\$490.

Baby calves \$25-\$30. Stocker and feeder calves, steer 200-300 lbs., good-chole \$65-\$69, medium-good \$60-\$64, common-medium \$50-\$55, good-chole \$70-\$75, medium-good \$65-\$70, common-medium \$50-\$55, good-chole \$70-\$74, medium-good \$65-\$70, common-medium \$50-\$55, heller 200-300 lbs., good-chole \$65-\$70, medium-good \$60-\$65, common-medium \$52-\$57, 300-400 lbs., good-chole \$60-\$65, medium-good \$55-\$60, common-medium \$47-\$52, 400-500 lbs., good-chole \$55-\$60, medium-good \$50-\$55, common-medium \$45-\$50.

Holstein steer calves, 200-400 lbs. \$48-\$53, 400-600 lbs. \$44-\$50. Top hogs \$41-\$45, sows \$34-\$36.

Guymon, Okla.

Guymon, Jan. 28 (F-S) - Receipts 8,000. Feeder steers under 600 lbs. steady, over 600 lbs. 1.00 higher. Feeder heifers all 1.00 higher. Slaughter cows 1.00 up. Slaughter bulls steady. Feeder steers: Medium frame 1, 300-400 lbs. \$73.00-\$81.00; 400-500 lbs. \$75.00-\$83.00; 500-600 lbs. \$77.00-\$85.00; 600-700 lbs. \$79.00-\$87.00; 700-800 lbs. \$81.00-\$89.00.

Simbrah Gala III Sale At Angelo's Set, February 17

Houston, Texas - The Simbrah Gala III Sale will be held Monday, February 17, 1986. The sale will be held at Angelo's Fisherman's Wharf at Houston, Texas. The event is being held during the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.

Selling will be 20 head of Simbrah cattle, 5 head of Brahman and 10 Simmental. The offering includes donor quality females, herd sires and herd sire prospects.

For information contact the sale manager World Sales, John and Vivian Joyce or Wynnan Poe, Sales Coordinator, 1107 Cottondale Rd., Wharton, Texas 77448, 713/342-2035 or 409/657-2212.

Feeders Were Higher At Amarillo Monday

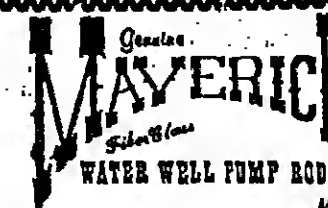
Amarillo, Jan. 27 (F-S) - Receipts 4,905. Feeder steers steady to 2.00 higher, feeder heifers .50 to 2.50 higher, few instances 3.00-3.50 higher. Stocker and slaughter cows steady. Feeder Steers: Medium and large frame No. 1: Small lot 416 lbs. 75.00, other 400-500 lbs. 67.00-74.00; 500-600 lbs. 63.00-68.00; 600-700 lbs. 61.25-67.00, mostly

63.00-65.50; lot 714 lbs. 67.40, other 700-800 lbs. 61.50-65.40; 800-900 lbs. 57.94-63.70; lot 912 lbs. 62.50, other 900-1100 lbs. 63.50-66.80. Medium and large frame No. 1-2: Few lots 300-400 lbs. 71.50-73.50; 400-500 lbs. 66.75-68.35; 500-600 lbs. 67.00-69.50; 600-700 lbs. 64.50-67.10. Holstein: Large frame No. 1-2 600-900 lbs. 40.50-43.00, Corriente: Large frame No. 1-2 600-900 lbs. 46.00-47.40.

Feeder Heifers: Medium and large frame No. 1: Few 300-400 lbs. 61.00-62.25; lot 438 lbs. 62.75, other 400-500 lbs. 66.50-69.80; 500-600 lbs. 66.00-69.00; 600-700 lbs. 66.25-69.10; 700-800 lbs. 66.00-69.90. Medium and large frame No. 1-2: Lot 478 lbs. 49.25; 600-600 lbs. 61.20-64.25; 600-700 lbs. 48.80-55.50, 700-800 lbs. 51.75-55.00. Slaughter or Cows: Breaking utility 2-3 500-1450 lbs. \$3.00-36.00. Cutter and boning utility 1-2 725-1200 lbs. 31.50-33.00. Stocker and Feeder Cows: Medium frame No. 1, bred young to middle aged cows 4-6 months, 950-1150 lbs. 34.50-37.00; 6-7 months 1000-1200 lbs. 34.75-39.50; 2 lots 8 months 1050-1100 lbs. 40.50-42.10.

Hides & Offal

Edison, N.J., Jan. 27 (USDA) - The estimated value of selected by-products from a typical slaughter steer for Monday \$6.30 per 100 lb. live weight, unchanged from Friday. No comparison from a week ago and up .66 from a year ago.



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Limousin, Brahmousin Activities At Houston

Crowley, TX - Houston '86 - "Simply Sensational" is the theme for the upcoming Limousin and Brahmousin activities held February 17-19, during the Houston Livestock Show & Rodeo in Houston, Texas. A schedule of meetings, sales, special judging competition, banquet and queen contest will greet breeders and families from across the nation.

The Shamrock Hilton Hotel, located at 8000 South Main street has been designated as the Texas Limousin Association headquarters.

The American Limousin Council annual membership meeting will kick-off the activities at 3:00 p.m., Monday, February 17, 1986.

Everyone is encouraged to attend the Texas Limousin Association annual membership meeting at 9:00 a.m., on Tuesday, February 18, followed by the TLA Board of Directors meeting. A record keeping workshop conducted by Dr. Wayne Vandorwert, NALF,

Denver, Colorado, is scheduled for 11:00 a.m. The workshop will be an ideal opportunity for new or established breeders to stay abreast of NALF program procedures.

Following at 1:00 p.m. that evening will be the Brahmousin pre-sale party and National Brahmousin Sale set for 2:00 p.m. in the parking lot of the Shamrock Hilton Hotel.

One highlight of the TLA activities is the annual banquet and queen contest, which is planned for Tuesday evening. A group of young ladies will be competing for the title of 1986 TLA Queen. The winner will receive an array of prizes and cash from the association and many of its breeders.

The Astrodome Arena will be the site of the open Limousin show, with over 150 entries paraded before judge J. J. "Bud" Prosser, Mead, Colorado. The Limousin show will begin at 8:00 n.m., Wednesday, February 19. The show will be followed immediately by the "Parade of Champions" sale cattle which gives everyone a front seat view of the sale animals. A pre-sale party will take place at 2:00 p.m. in the Limousin alley and

Futures Insight

Week Ending Jan. 21

Every new and then a piece of news surfaces about the markets that is so outlandish and bigger than life that it needs to be repeated. This week such news was carried over the wire services and broadcast over national television. It pertains to the gold market.

According to various "sources", the Sultan of Brunei, ruler of a small Third World country, purchased one billion dollars worth of gold in the space of seven days. That's one billion dollars folks! It seems that he was a buyer out of fear that the U.S. and Libya would be involved in some sort of confrontation in the Middle East.

After the Sultan made his purchases, the gold market staged its most powerful rally in over a year. Prices soared over \$30 an ounce in just two days. Other markets such as silver, palladium, platinum and copper also advanced sharply on heavy foreign and domestic buying. The rally in the precious metals had a very positive effect on the surrounding markets as well.

I doubt that the Sultan poured his entire life savings in the market. I also doubt that he "overextended" himself in the market. And I doubt that he'll cut down on the number of times he takes his wife for wined out to dinner.

But the Sultan certainly caused a ruckus. And for the first time in years the gold market responded to a political problem by going higher in price. That's important to remember in the days ahead. Do you think his wives know that he's trading?

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Do not be a seller in these markets in the weeks ahead. It looks to me as if we're in for a nice rally over the next 30 to 60 days. Maintain a "bullish" bias towards the market and probe its "long" side on weakness.

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Do not be short the cattle market any longer. I stated emphatically to readers of this column and to my subscribers those sentiments last week. An explosion upward for cattle prices is near. The ingredients for such an occurrence are present. The only thing lacking is the right kind of "bullish" market psychology. And this market psychology is becoming "bullish" very rapidly.

Cattle. Got 'em on ya, they're going up!

Grain Complex: The grain markets on the Board of Trade are locked in a eroding range. Sturdy export business supports the market on breaks, but on rallies the market tires quickly. Old crop grains could work higher in price, but the new crop is basically "bearish". The lower loan rates for grains in the new farm bill will temper any rally that is mounted.

Continue to treat the grain market as a trading offer. Buy the breaks and lighten up on the rallies. I think the grains act awfully tired, but they may not be quite ready to roll over. The commodity funds and the small speculator le short the wheat market and the large commercials are long. So be careful! If you're short the March wheat, it's probably a "buy" right here.

If you would like information about subscription costs for cash-futures, please contact Jerry F. Welch at Midway Livestock Marketing Systems, Inc., 3500 West 80th Street, Suite 195, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55411. Telephone number 612-834-2444.

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Horizon Limousin Shamrock Sale Set For February 19

Houston, TX - The Horizon Limousin Ranch "Shamrock Sale" will be held the evening of February 19, 1986. The sale will be held in the Ballroom of the Shamrock Hilton in Houston, Texas.

This sale of select Limousin will be held in conjunction with the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.

For information and catalogs contact Horizon Limousin Ranch, Rt. 2, Box 152-A, Midway, Texas 76852, Ranch 409/348-3503 or Office 713/467-0311, Neil Scott, Manager.

there is enough waste out there to enable the really beneficial departments and agencies to live within the Government's means and continue to do the good things that are needed and wind up with a surplus in the Federal till.

There are a great many people who are convinced that President Reagan and his administration are dedicated to laying the agricultural community low. However, it seems obvious that when USDA expenditures run so many billions more than expected in the past two or three years the Situation is about as tender as a sore toe with the White House. What we need to do is get busy and explain what's good and damn what's bad, so the good stuff don't get whacked out of ignorance on someone's part. Bellerin' & bawlin' ain't gonna help much.

It is to be hoped that this Gramm-Rudman bill will wake up our elected officials, once they realize that unless they get on the job the baby is sure gonna get thrown out with the bath water.

Ever thine,
The Editor.

P.S.: Uncle Dunk reports one of the "interesting" changes about the Oil Patch is that

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Extension Service may well be as bad as it is in most Govt. projects. However, there is a lot of good bone and muscle there, too, which we ought not to lose.

Abuses and extravagances are there and could well be trimmed down. We recall the instance when a wealthy dowager, who just happened to have a lot of local political clout, pressured the County Commissioners to hire a full time horticulturist. The excuse was that the cities and towns, as well as the County, had lots of parks and open spaces which could be improved with a full time floral and bush expert. She got her way, as usual, but we suspect you can guess the rest of the story. One of the first jobs this feller got into was landscaping this lady's premises.

This threat to the Extension Service joints up the governmental problem of budget deficits. If our elected officials paid more than passing attention to what our government agencies were doing

Livestock Slaughter, Meat Production

Washington, Jan. 24 (USDA) - Total red meat production under federal inspection for the week ending 01/25/86 was estimated at 787.4 million pounds. This was 5.8% below a week ago and

Production (Mill. Lbs.)				
	01/25/86	01/18/86	Change	
Beef	458.4	488.7	-5.8%	
Calf	8.9	9.1	-2.0%	
Pork	288.4	299.5	-5.4%	
Lamb	6.8	7.8	-1.3%	
Total	757.4	802.7	-5.6%	
Slaughter (Head)				
Cattle	721,000	788,000	-8.1%	
Calves	85,000	87,000	-3.0%	
Hogs	1,805,000	1,887,000	-4.9%	
Sheep	114,000	125,000	-8.8%	
Average Weights				
	Live	Drad.	Live	Drad.
Cattle	1095	889	1094	837
Calves	231	189	232	189
Hogs	246	177	247	178
Sheep	118	80	117	80
Slaughter By Class				
Ending	Cows	Bulls	Hfrs.	Steers
1/4/86	23.2%	1.4%	29.9%	45.5%
1/5/85	23.3%	1.8%	30.3%	44.6%
Barrows & Sows				
01/04/86	94.0%	5.0%	1.0%	
01/05/85	94.3%	4.8%	.9%	

Feeders Steady, Firm At Oklahoma City

Oklahoma City, Jan. 27 (USDA) - Receipts 7,500. Feeder steers: Kind holders steady to firm with holders over 600# firm to 1.00 higher. Demand good. Trade active, especially on yearlings. Slaughter cows 80c to 1.00 higher. But heavy nearby. Feeder steers: Medium frame 1 270-300 lb. 80.00-81.50; 850-400# 78.00-77.50; 400-500 lb. 88.75-78.00, pkg. 480# 77.50; 525-600# 85.25-68.00; 600-700# 84.90-85.80; pkg. 785# 84.00; pkg. 850# 83.00; pkg. 825# 80.00. Medium and large frame mixed 1-2 180# 83.50. Holders: Medium and large frame 1 300-400# 61.60-63.90; 400-500 lb. 68.00-62.75; 600-800 lb. 67.00-60.10; 600-700# 66.50-60.80; few lots 785-760# 68.80-69.20. Medium and large frame mixed 1-2 180# 81.50; thin 800-400# 66.75-69.75, lot 815# thin 61.40; 400-500# 66.00-69.00; few small lots 525-575# 64.75-67.00.

Slaughter cows: Bonig utility 1-2 84.10-87.90, lot 1140 lb. young 89.50. Culler 1-2 83.80-86.80, lot 1045 lb high dressing 87.40, few low dressing 82.10-82.50. Slaughter buller Y.G. 1 1600-1700 lb. 48.00-47.90; 1050-1600 lb. 41.10-45.60. Replacement or feeder cows small thru large frame 1-2 young 38.50-42.25; middle aged 34.25-37.25; aged 31.25-34.50.

Hogs: 1,000# Barrows & gilts 60 high US 1-2 210-255 lb. 45.50-46.20, couple head 46.40, US 1-3 220-260 lb. 44.50-45.50, Sows under 500 lb. steady to 2.00 highest, over 500 lb. 1.50-3.50 higher; US 1-3 225-500 lb. 36.50-40.10; US 1-3 500-750 lb. 36.50-41.70; Boars over 1800 lb. 22.80; 200-300 lb. 28.50-27.25.

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* Schedule Of Events *

Tuesday, February 18, 1986

9:00 a.m. - TLA Membership Meeting; Crystal Room - Shamrock Hilton
10:00 a.m. - TLA Directors Meeting; Crystal Room - Shamrock Hilton
7:00 p.m. - TLA Reception, Banquet, 1986 Queen Announcement; Continental Room - Shamrock Hilton

Wednesday, February 19, 1986

8:00 a.m. - Open Limousin Show; Main Arena-Houston Livestock Show
11:00 a.m. - Parade of Champions-Sale Cattle; Main Arena-Houston Livestock Show
2:00 p.m. - Limousin Pre-Sale Alley Party; Houston Livestock Show
3:00 p.m. - TLA Houston '86 Sale; Super Sale Salon - Houston Livestock Show

he can recall when \$5 or \$6 a barrel oil created millionaires overnight, and now \$20 oil is about to break the banks and everyone in the business. Dunk says it never ceases to amaze him how so many political hopefuls can hear the call to public service and nobody else heard a sound. Dunk figures one of the things that makes America great is the ease with which you can stir up a civil war by just messing around with someone else's business. Most folks figured the teaching bizness was manned by relatively mild persons, but look at it now! - Thosall, Brothers!

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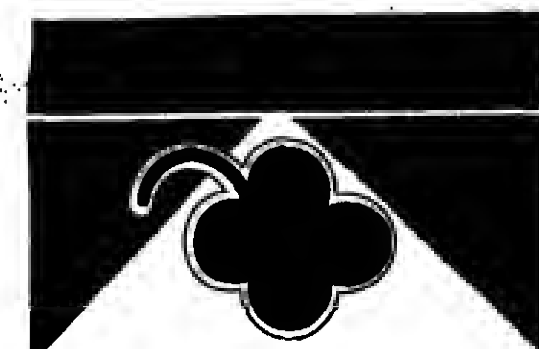
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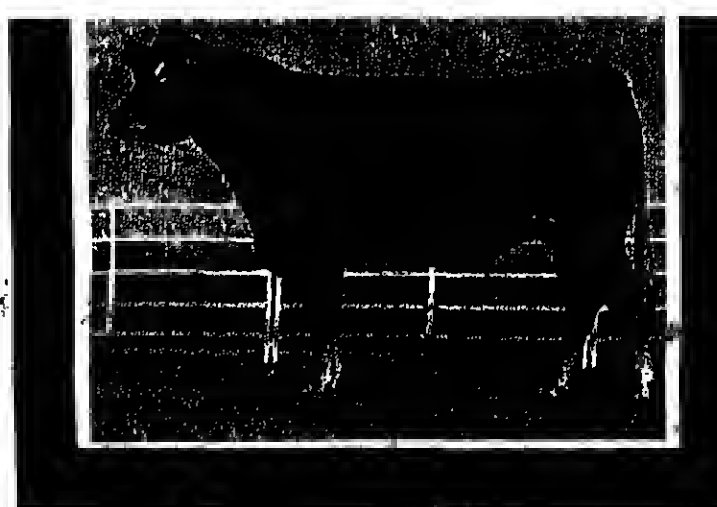


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TBBA Performance Tested Brangus Bull Sale, Feb. 9

Castroville, Texas - The Texas Brangus Breeders Association Performance Tested Brangus Bull Sale will be held Sunday, February 9, 1986. Sale time is 1:00 p.m. at the Livestock Performance Center at Castroville, Texas. Selling will be 70 performance tested Brangus bulls.

Auctioneer will be Ruben Reyes. Sale manager will be Pierce Sale Company.

For information contact the Texas Brangus Breeders Association, Gary Don Harkley, Executive Secretary, 505 E. University, Suite 603, College Station, Texas 77840, 409/848-5733.

J Bar L Corral Auction Set For Feb. 7 & 8

Canton, Texas - The J Bar L Corral Inc. Auction will be held February 7 and 8, 1986, 11 miles south of Canton, Texas and 14 miles north of Athens, Texas on Hwy. 18.

Selling will be hardware, appliances, groceries and sundries, general merchandise, fixtures, equipment and paint. For information contact Ken Walton, Box 1014, Henderson, Tx. 75652, 214/857-7418.

Livestock Futures

Omaha, Jan. 27 (USDA) - Trade on the CME Monday:				
Mo.	Sett.	Change	Sales	
Choice Steer Futures				
Feb.	80.40	+18	2795	
Apr.	88.30	+73	7898	
June	92.45	+30	1284	
Aug.	99.92	UNC	402	
Oct.	98.62	-18	58	
Dec.	99.25	+05	3	
Feb.	90.25	UNC	0	
Total			7207	
Feeder Steers				
March	66.82	+20	425	

January 30, 1986				
Month	Sett.	Change	Sales	
April	56.82	+20	160	
May	15.05	+38	100	
Aug.	66.87	+37	40	
Sept.	64.06	+48	3	
Oct.	121.60	+45	6	
Nov.	14.20	+45	3	
Total			734	
Live Hogs				
Feb.	45.22	-33	860	
April	42.32	-20	825	
June	45.75	-02	478	
July	46.56	-10	195	
Aug.	44.80	-37	15	
Oct.	41.37	+17	18	
Dec.	42.25	-10	11	
Feb.	42.02	-25	3	
April	40.55	+03	2389	
Proven Pork Bulls				
Feb.	63.60	-70	918	
March	64.27	-73	540	
May	55.37	-75	60	

July				
Month	Sett.	Change	Sales	
Aug.	65.37	-83	40	
Total	63.12	-68	1579	

New Mexico Directs

Clovis, Jan. 24 (P-S) - Slaughter steers slowly to 1.00 higher; slaughter heifers steady. Steers 4,800 - good and mostly choice 2-3 1,050-1,200 lb. 59.00-60.00. Mixed good and choice 2-3 1,150-1,300 lb. 58.00-59.00. Heifers 3,400 - good and mostly choice 2-3 975-1,100 lb. 57.00-58.50. Feeder steers - confirmed 5,400 - medium and large frame 1: 550-575 lb. 55.00-57.00, late 57.00 delivered; 700-750 lb. 61.00-56.00, late 53.00-48.00 delivered. Feeder heifers - confirmed 1,000 - medium and large frame 1: 550-700 lb. 55.00-59.00, late 57.00-58.00 delivered.

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ORDER OF SALE: On Friday, February 7th the entire inventory of groceries, sundries and 1/2 of hardware will be sold on Saturday. We will sell the remaining hardware, paint, vehicles and farm supplies.

TERMS: Cash, Cashiers Check or Personal and Company checks with Bank letter of Guarantee. All sales are final.

ANNOUNCEMENTS: Announcements at sale time take priority over all printed ads.

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Bluebonnet Brangus "Pick Of The Breed" Sale Set February 20

Houston, Texas - The Bluebonnet Brangus Breeders "Pick of the Breed" Halter Sale will be held Thursday, February 20, 1986. Sale time is 7:30 p.m. in the Super Sale Salon in the Astrodome during the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.

The sale will be held in conjunction with the International Brangus Show and the 36th Annual IBBA Convention. Selling will be 20 select Brangus Females.

A pre-sale party is planned for 8:00 p.m. preceding the sale in the Herdman's Room of the Astrodome. Auctioneer will be Ruben Reyes. For information contact the sale manager, Pierce Sale Company, Box 807, Bellville, Texas 77418, 409/865-9104.

Most Cattle Higher At San Antonio

San Antonio, Jan. 27 (P-S) - Receipts 1,200. Feeder steers and bulls firm to 2.00 instances 3.00-5.00 higher. Feeder heifers steady to 2.00 up. Slaughter cows 2.00-3.00, spots 4.00 higher. Feeder Steers: Medium & large frame No. 1: 200-400 lbs. 70.00-78.00, 400-500 lbs. 63.00-67.00, 500-600 lbs. 62.00-67.00. Medium & large frame No. 2: 195-300 lbs. 77.00-78.00, 300-400 lbs. 63.00-68.50, 400-600 lbs. 64.00-68.50.

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Yearling Steers: Medium and large frame 1, 500-600 lbs. 63.00-68.00, 600-700 lbs. 60.00-64.00. Small frame 1 and medium frame 2, 500-650 lbs. 58.00-63.00. Heifers: Medium and large frame 1, 500-600 lbs. 53.00-57.00, 600-700 lbs. 52.00-56.00. Small frame 1 and medium frame 2, 500-700 lbs. 48.00-53.00.

Boars: Over 300 lbs. 3.00 lower. Over 300 lbs. 22.00.

Ft. Smith, Ark.

Ft. Smith, Jan. 27 (P-S) Receipts 1,600. Feeder steers and heifers 1.00 higher. Slaughter cows and bulls fully steady. Feeder Steers: Medium and large frame 1, 300-350 lbs. 72.00-80.00 several 82.00-88.00, 350-400 lbs. 69.00-77.00, 400-450 lbs. 67.00-74.00, 450-500 lbs. 66.00-73.00. 500-600 lbs. 64.00-68.00. Small frame 1, 300-400 lbs. 62.00-70.00, 400-450 lbs. 62.00-67.50. Bulls: Medium and large frame 1, 300-350 lbs.

Cows: Replacements: Medium frame 1, 3-5 year old 700-900 lbs. 37.00-43.00, aged cows 38.00-37.00. Cow-Calf Pairs: Medium frame 1, 4-6 year old 800-1000 lbs. cows with 100-250 lb. calves at side 450.00-600.00 per pair. Slaughter Cows: Breaking utility 2-4, 24.00-37.50, boning utility 1-3, 34.50-39.00, high dressing 39.00-41.00, cutter 1-2, 32.00-37.00, canner 1-2 and low cutter 28.00-32.00, shelly canner 25.00-29.00. Bulls: Yield grade 1-2, 1100-1600 lbs. 45.00-48.00.

If you're not neurotic these days, people are apt to think something is wrong with you.

CME Feeder Delivery

Omaha, Jan. 27 (USDA) - C.M.E. feeder cattle deliveries for Tuesday, Jan. 28:
Billings 2 loads
Dodge City 3 loads
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Sioux City 31 loads
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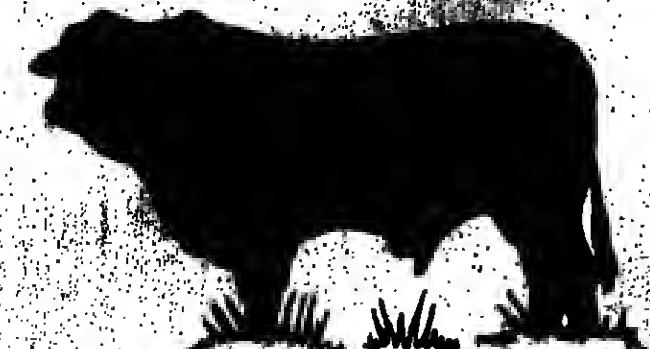
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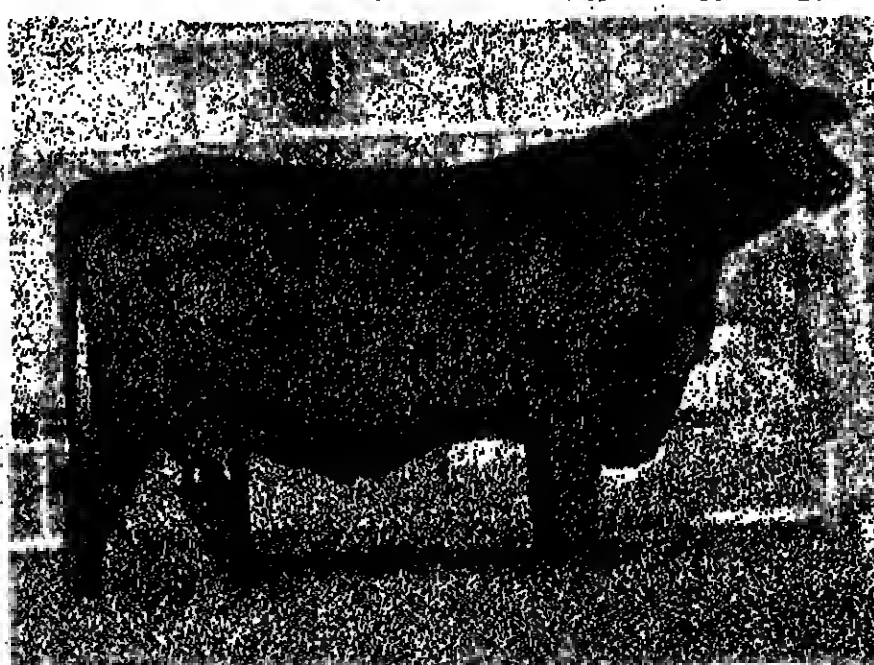
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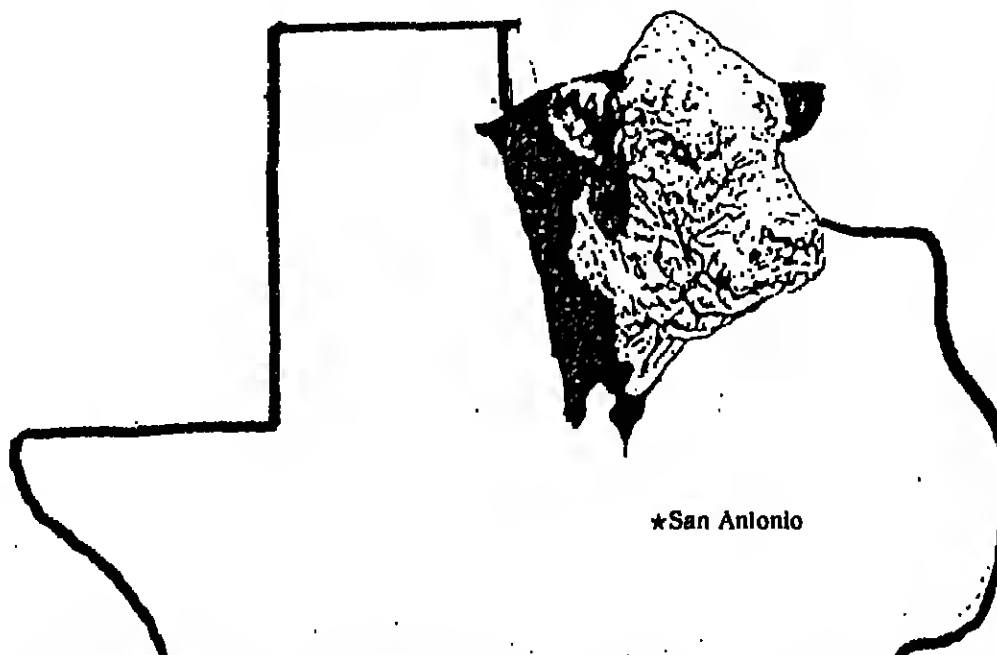
Held in conjunction with The International Brangus Show and the 36th Annual IBBA Convention
Thursday - 7:30 P.M.
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Super Sale Salon
In the Astrodome
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South Texas Polled Hereford Sale At San Antonio, Feb. 15

San Antonio, Tex. - The 26th Annual South Texas Polled Hereford Association Annual Sale will be held Saturday, February 15, 1986. Sale time is 2:00 p.m. at the San Antonio Livestock Exposition Sales Arena in San Antonio, Texas.

Selling will be a premier offering of bulls and females from premier breeders across the Lone Star State. All cattle will have been inspected by the sale committee for assurance of quality.

Auctioneer will be James Birdwell. For information contact the Texas Polled Hereford Association, Ray Mahan, P.O. Box 70, Rio Vista, Texas 78083, 512/373-2525.

San Angelo Cattle

San Angelo, Jan. 24 (F.S.) - Receipts 4,800. Feeder steers and heifers 1,000-2,000 lbs. Slaughter cows and bulls firm to 1.00 higher. Feeder steers & steer calves: Medium and large frame no. 1: Few 200-300 lbs. 80.00-84.00, 300-400 lbs. 78.50-77.00, couple sets 415-425 lbs. 72.00-73.00, bulk 400-600 lbs. 68.50-71.00, few 605-635 lbs. 70.00, bulk 500-600 lbs. 51.50-59.00, 600-700 lbs. 61.00-64.25, 700-800 lbs. 59.25-58.50, 800-1,100 lbs. 52.00-55.50. Medium and large frame no. 1-2: Few 200-300 lbs. 70.00-75.00, 300-400 lbs. 62.00-70.50, 400-600 lbs. 55.00-66.00, 600-800 lbs. 51.00-61.00, 900-700 lbs. 50.00-60.00, 700-800 lbs. 50.00-68.25.

Feeder heifers & heifer calves: Medium and large frame no. 1: 300-400 lbs. 60.00-64.00, 400-600 lbs. 55.50-60.75, 600-700 lbs. 54.00-59.00, few 700-800 lbs. 60.00-62.00. Medium and large frame no. 1-2: 300-400 lbs. 58.00-60.00, 400-600 lbs. 47.00-55.50, 500-700 lbs. 46.00-55.75, 700-900 lbs. including heiferettes, 42.00-49.50.

Slaughter cows: Breaking utility 2-3 36.50-42.00, high-dressing 42.00-48.25, low-dressing utility & commercial 3-4 29.25-36.50, cutter and boning utility 1-2 34.00-40.50, high-dressing

41.00-42.75, canner and low-cutter 1-2 27.50-33.50. Bulls: Yield grade 1-2 1,500-2,300 lbs. 47.50-55.00, low-dressing 955-1,500 lbs. 39.50-46.25.

Pregnancy tested stock cows and heifers: Medium and large frame no. 1-2's 400.00-505.00 per head. Medium frame no. 1-2's 300.00-376.00 per head. Small and medium frame no. 1-2's 250.00-260.00 per head. Cow/calf pairs: Medium and large frame no. 1-2 cows with calves weighing 150-300 lbs. 530.00-535.00 per pair. Small and medium frame no. 1-2 cows with calves weighing 150-300 lbs. 945.00-425.00 per pair.

Lone Star All Breed Bull & Female Sale, Feb. 22

Wickett, Texas - The Lone Star All Breed Bull and Female Sale will be held Saturday, February 22, 1986. Sale time is 10:00 a.m. on the females and 1:00 p.m. on the bulls. Lunch will be available at the Lone Star Testing Center at Wickett, Texas.

Selling will be 160 range bulls and herd bull prospects and 300 replacement females. The offering will include Hereford, Brahman, Braford, Beelmaster, Barzona, Red Brangus and Simbrah.

For information contact Massey and McElroy, 9900 West 1-20, Box 8566, Midland, Texas 79711, 915/663-4431 or Sam Massey 915/943-2217 or Earl McElroy 915/982-0579.

Woodward, Okla.

Woodward, Jan. 24 (F.S.) - Receipts 1,600. Feeder steers under 600 lbs. 1.00-2.00 higher, over 600 lb. 2.50 higher. Feeder heifers all 2.00 higher. Slaughter cows 1.00-1.50 higher. Bulls steady. Feeder steers: Medium frame 1 300-400 lb. 72.00-80.00; 400-500 lb. 66.50-76.25; 500-600 lb. 66.75-68.00; 600-700 lb. 63.25-66.75; 700-800 lb. 61.00-64.75. Heifers: Medium frame no. 1 300-400 lb. 63.25-66.00; 400-500 lb. 58.75-66.00; 500-600 lb. 57.25-61.00; 600-700 lb. 56.00-60.25.

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Owl Creek And Plum Creek Sale Set, February 18

Houston, Texas - The Owl Creek Ranch and Plum Creek Ranch Pre-Convention Heifer Sale will be held Tuesday, February 18, 1986. Sale time is 6:00 p.m. at Look's Sirloin Banquet Hall on South Main & Loop 610 in Houston, Texas.

Selling will be 49 young Brangus females bred to such Brangus sires as Champ 533, Big Foot, Tiempo, Tiny, Titan and Dynasty.

Auctioneer will be Ruben Reyes and Sale Consultant is Jess Bryce. For information contact Owl Creek Ranch, Rt. 2, Box 3540, Richards, Texas 77873, 409/851-2402, or Plum Creek Ranch, Rt. 2, Box 40, Buffalo, Texas 75831, 214/389-3447, or the sale management, Pierce Sale Company, Bellville, Texas 409/856-9104.

Feedlot Trade Slow, Stronger

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90.80-91.00, mostly 61.00, pen central Kaoses 90.00; choice with end good 1050-1180 lbs. 60.00-90.75; few mixed good and choice 1175 lbs. including cutting bulls 60.25. Heifers: Choice 2-8, few 4 945-1040 lbs. 58.00-80.00, pen central Kansas 58.50; few choice with end good 57.75-60.00.

Omaha, Jan. 26 (USDA) - Sales confirmed 3,200. Week to date 9,600. Buyer demand fairly good; but seller interest only modest at Monday's bids. Steers and heifers fully steady. Steers: Good to mostly choice 2-4 1100-1300 lbs. 60.00-61.00 FOB and delivered, 1 pen 61.50 FOB. Heifers: Good to mostly choice 2-4 975-1100 lbs. 59.00-60.00 FOB and delivered. Dressed basis: 65 percent of volume. Steers and heifers fully steady. Weight only steers: Good to mostly choice 600-900 lbs. 58.50-59.00. Weight only heifers: Good to mostly choice 550-700 lbs. 54.00-55.00, mostly 54.50-55.00.

Carlot Beef \$1-\$2 Higher

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All in light lot. Trading very slow as with and see attitude prevails in face of cold weather and some labor problems. Demand and offerings light to moderate.

U.S. No. 2 175 lb. pork carcass cutout value advanced \$.13 to \$60.72 per cwt. Sales reported on 5 loads of fresh pork cuts and 5 loads of trimmings and boneless processing pork.

Brangus Plan Annual Convention In Houston

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February 18 with committee meetings beginning at 12:30 p.m. and running until the evening hours. Wednesday, the 19th, seat "open committee meetings followed by seminars beginning at 1:00 p.m. Featured speakers include the world's greatest salesman, Joe Girard; J. David Nichols, Nichols Farms Limited, Bridgewater, IA; and Bill Wilson, general manager of Premier Angus, Cloverdale, IN. An IBBA approved inspectors test will be given at 4:00 p.m. and the evening will conclude with "The Crowning Event" at 6:00 p.m. "The Crowning Event" will include a cocktail reception and benefit auction with proceeds going to the funding of the new IBBA/Brangus Publications, Inc. headquarters.

Beginning Thursday's activities is the IBBA general membership meeting and election of officers at 9:00 a.m. followed by the International Brangus Show at 12:30 p.m. Dr. T. D. "Dusty" Rich of Kansas City, MO is committed to evaluate the line-up of quality Brangus cattle. The Bluebonnet Brangus Breeders Association will host a cocktail reception immediately following the show at the Super Sale Salon with a Brangus sale to follow at 7:30 p.m. The IBBA Board of Directors will meet on Friday, February 21 to conclude the convention. All activities will

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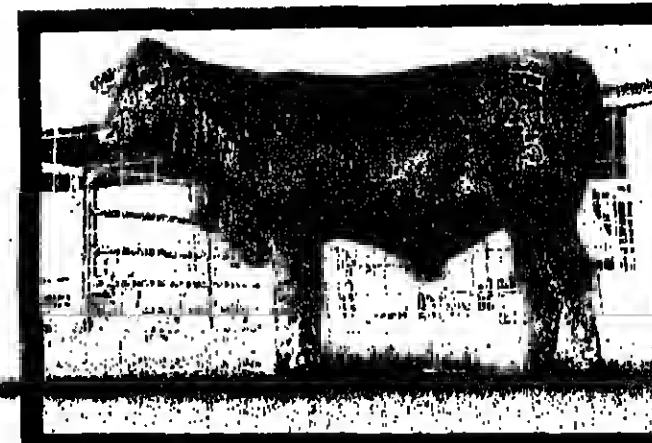
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THE TEXAS EXPERIENCE

The Empresarios: Rooting A Culture

Still reeling from Anglo-Saxon filibusters and revolution on the Spanish Texas frontier, Texas Governor Martin was given strict orders by representatives of the Crown to keep foreigners out of the territory, recounts T. R. Fehrenbach in his book, *Lone Star*. But a combination of circumstances and business savvy provided the Anglo-American Moses Austin the first empresario contract in 1821. The land grant allowed him to settle 300 of the "right sort" of North Americans — Roman Catholics who agreed to pledge their loyalty to Spain.

The time was ripe for Austin, who was reeling from his own catastrophe back in St. Louis. The bank for which he was the principal stockholder collapsed, as a speculative land value fell and the first depression of the United States took hold. But the 60-year-old Austin never realized his dreams for colonization in Texas. He died from the rigors of his return trip through the wilderness from Texas to Missouri. His son, Stephen F. Austin, then 27, took on the great and rode south to Texas to negotiate with Spanish authorities and map out his colony.

The young Austin was a diplomat and a visionary. There was no shortage of applicants for his land titles, which sold for a fraction of the cost of U.S. land. Historian Margaret Heaton tells us that each family received a league (4,828 acres) of farm land and a labor (177) across of farm land for a modest payment of \$60 in fees to the land commissioner, surveyor, and the clerk making the lands. The empresario received no money, only five leagues and five leagues for each 100 families settled. During the first bareh years of settle-

ment, Austin was in Mexico City, negotiating his contract with the newly independent government of Mexico. But upon his return, the settlement began to thrive and grow.

Although the colonists took a oath first to Spain and then to independent Mexico, few were actually Roman Catholics and fewer still understood the implications of the official Hispanic system of municipality. Instead, as both Fehrenbach and Heaton suggest, Austin took on the more critical roles — judge, mayor, "father confessor" — and delegated the details of governing to the *ayuntamiento*, or governing council.

Austin ultimately received three more contracts allowing the settlement of 900 more families. Heaton says, on land between the Brazos and Colorado watersheds below the Old Spanish Road from San Antonio to Nacogdoches. In addition, he managed a small area in central Texas and on a peninsula from the coastal area to the San Jacinto River. By 1831, Austin claimed 6,665 residents in his colonies and had raised over 200,000 acres of premium land.

Other relatively minor empresarios

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After a decade of empresarios, Fehrenbach states in *Lone Star*, thousands of Anglo-Americans were established in Texas and the foundations for cotton and cattle kingdoms were laid. Just as the Spanish authorities had anticipated, Texas settlements faced a profound clash of cultures. Indeed, the trusted empresario Stephen F. Austin found himself balancing between Mexican interests and "the swarm of his own race." The seeds of a revolution had been planted on the frontier.

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South Texas Brahman Sale At San Antonio Set For February 8

San Antonio, Tex. — The South Texas Brahman Association's Annual San Antonio Sale will be held Saturday, February 8, 1986. Sale time is 11:00 a.m. in the Auction Arena at the San Antonio Livestock Show.

Selling will be 45 head of top quality red and gray Brahman cattle. The offering includes 15 herd bull prospects and commercial bulls and 30 bred and open replacement quality females.

Sale headquarters will be the La Quinta Inn in Winder Park, 512/583-6619. Auctioneers will be Reyes and Mendez.

For information contact the sale manager, Watson Cattle Service, Rt. 1, Box 91, Devine, Texas 78016, 512/683-2914 or 663-2740.

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cocktail hour will be held at 6:00 p.m. All events are at the Astro Village Hotel.

The International Brahman Show has been scheduled for Wednesday and Thursday morning, February 18-20. Judging begins both days at 7:00 a.m. The International Brahman Sale will be held at 2:00 p.m. that afternoon. A pre-sale party has been set for 1:00 p.m. in the Herdman's Room at the Astrohall. All cottonmen are invited to attend all of these Brahman events. For information contact ABBA, 1318 La Cocha Lane, Houston, TX 77054.

National Feeder Pig Summary

St. Joseph, Jan. 24 (USDA) — National feeder pig receipts this week: 38,000 last week; 36,000 year ago; 30,000. Feeder pigs steady to 3.00 higher per head and steady to 10.00 higher per cwt. However, slaughter hog prices lower late in the week.

Arkansas: 6.00, per head, U.S. 1-2 35-39 lbs. 28.00-33.00, 40-46 lbs. 33.75-43.25, 60-66 lbs. 35.50-46.00, 60-66 lbs. 41.00-46.50, 70-79 lbs. 42.50-47.50, 80-89 lbs. 45.00-49.00, 95-106 lbs. 46.75-55.00.

Illinois direct: 2,900, per head, U.S. 1-2 40-50 lbs. 34.25-42.50, 50-60 lbs. 39.00-46.00, 60-80 lbs. 39.50-49.75.

Sioux Falls: 2,200, per head, U.S. 1-2 30-40 lbs. 30.50-36.00, 40-50 lbs. 35.50-37.50, 60-60 lbs. 37.00-42.50, 60-70 lbs. 46.50-48.00.

Sioux City: 7,000, per head, U.S. 1-2 30-40 lbs. 33.00-38.50, 40-50 lbs. 34.75-40.50, 60-60 lbs. 33.25-44.00, 60-70 lbs. 41.00-46.00, 70-80 lbs. 46.50-47.25.

St. Joseph, Mo.: 2,625, per head, U.S. 1-2 40-50 lbs. 29.25-34.00, 60-60 lbs. 34.00-40.00, 60-70 lbs. 36.00-44.00, 70-80 lbs. 42.00-50.00, 80-90 lbs. 45.50-60.00, 98-115 lbs. 68.00-84.75.

Southern Mo.: 1,650, per head, U.S. 1-2 35-40 lbs. 28.00-33.00, 40-50 lbs. 31.00-36.50, 60-60 lbs. 35.00-39.00, 60-70 lbs. 38.00-43.00.

Arkansas: 750, per head, U.S. 1-2 42-45 lbs. 32.35-36.60, 50-55 lbs. 27.30-38.65, 60-65 lbs. 42.70-48.30, 70-80 lbs. 45.25-46.15, 88-102 lbs. 46.40-48.25.

Tulsa Monday
Tulsa, Jan. 27 (F-S) — Receipts 1,250. Feeder steers and heifers firm to 1.00 higher, with exception 500-550 lb. feeder steers very thin 2.00-3.00 higher. Slaughter cows 1.00-2.00 higher. Feeder Steers: Medium frame No. 1 200-300 lb. 76.00-84.00; 300-400 lb. 73.00-79.00 small lot 304 lb. 84.00; 400-500 lb. 70.00-75.75 small lot 405 lb. 79.50; 500-600 lb. 66.00-73.00; 600-700 lb. 65.00-66.50 pig. 608 lb. 68.50. Heifers: Medium frame No. 1 few 200-300 lb. 65.50-72.50; 300-400 lb. 60.25-65.50; 400-500 lb. 57.50-62.50; 500-600 lb. 66.00-67.75. Slaughter Cows: Few boning utility 1-2 26.00-39.00. Few cutter 1-2 32.50-36.50 few corner and low cutter 1-2 28.75-37.75. Bull: Few 2-3 1-2 1185-1635 lb. 48.00-48.25. Few medium and large frame No. 1-2, 2-3 year replacement cows 41.00-61.00; few middle aged cows 38.25-50.00.

Too often foreign aid is what the poor people of a rich nation send their money to the rich people of a poor nation.



There is an old saying that "The Sun Never Sets On The British Empire." England is regaining that old spirit thanks to three people — Prince Charles, Princess Di, and J. C. Peasey. I just had to find out what all the fuss was about so my wife and I hopped a jet to London in the latter part of November. An English fellow on the plane told me the way to beat jet lag was to fast on the way over. He went on a liquid diet. He went fast.

At least he got a good night's sleep. Now I know what they mean by the terms "stiff upper lip" and "smashing." Other terms were a bit more confusing. A place where you walk underground is called a subway and the subway is called the underground in writing but the "tube" in speaking. When Mother England has her tubs tied it means there has been a train wreck.

It's also hard for a Texas boy to get used to being called a "Yank." At first, I spoke in my usual drawl and every Englishman said, "You're from America, aren't you, Yank?" "I'm not a Yank; I'm a Rebel," I replied.

"Terribly sorry, aah," they would reply, "That simply isn't allowed in Great Britain."

"Perhaps you might like to try Argentine," they would say with a wicked smile.

Since their latest victory was the Falkland Island War, I decided to risk a little humor at the smash hit play "Evita" in London. It was the story of how Evita Peron rose and fell in Argentina.

"Yo quiero los bofetos a ver Evita." Without blinking an eye, the tollor gave me two tickets, turned to her companion and said, "Can't understand a word said by these bloody Yanks."

I was fortunate enough to be during the summit meeting in Switzerland between the big three — President Reagan, Premier Gorbachev, and Jesse Jackson.

It was interesting. Eagland has posters everywhere with pictures of Reagan and Gorbachev. The billboards read, "They agree on one thing and that is good." That was by Smirnoff.

We went to the traditional places and wound up our tour in London by having breakfast at Harrod's, the famous department store, and doing some shopping. Harrod's is the only place I know where you can get all you want, shop, gain weight, and lose 100 pounds.

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Terrell, Texas
Terrell, Jan. 28 (F-S) — Receipts 625. Feeder cattle and calves moved in active to moderately active trade steady to firm; slaughter cows and bulls .50-1.00 higher, replacements firm. Feeder steers: Medium frame no. 1 250-280 lbs. 62.00-66.00; 300-400 lbs. 71.00-77.00; 400-500 lbs. 65.00-71.00; 500-585 lbs. 59.00-64.50. Medium & large frame no. 1 2: 300-400 lbs. 63.50-71.50; 400-620 lbs. 63.00-68.50. Feeder heifers: Medium frame no. 1 300-400 lbs. 54.50-60.50; 400-550 lbs. 53.50-58.50; 550-665 lbs. 47.00-58.00. Medium & large frame no. 1 2: 280-400 lbs. 52.00-55.50; 400-820 lbs. 47.00-58.00.

Replacement cows: Medium & large frame no. 1 2 young to middle aged 535.00-465.00 head; small & medium frame no. 1 2 young to middle aged 320.00-390.00 head. Cow calf pairs: Medium & large frame no. 1 2 young to middle aged cows with baby to 250 lb. calves 480.00-550.00 per pair; small & medium frame no. 1 2 middle aged cows with baby to 250 lb. calves 295.00-480.00 per pair. Slaughter cows: Boning utility 1-8 84.00-40.50.

"The Gathering" Longhorn Sale Set February 22

Houston, Texas — The Gulf Coast Association of the Texas Longhorn Breeders has announced "The Gathering" sale will be held Saturday, February 22, 1986. Sale time is 12:00 noon in the Astrohall Auction Sale.

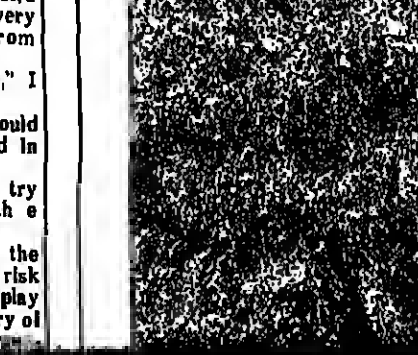
Sale chairman is Derrell D. Wilson, 713/464-1661. Auctioneer will be Skinner Hardy.

Sale headquarters will be the Marriott Hotel, Astrodomo, 713/797-9000. For information contact TLBGCA Office, 9086 Katy Freeway, Suite 330, Houston, Texas 77024, 713/464-1661.

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Yellow Rose Longhorn Show & Sale Set for 86

The second annual Yellow Rose Texas Longhorn Show and Sale is scheduled for February 16, 1986 at 12:00 noon at the San Antonio Livestock Show and Rodeo. Please include this date in your schedule of events.

The 1985 Yellow Rose sale was attended by over 1,100 people and averaged \$8,187.00 per lot. The 1986 sale will again feature outstanding Texas Longhorn Cattle.

For additional information, interested parties should contact ROBERT KING at (512) 964-2625 or DAVID KARCHER at (512) 925-3441. Catalog request should be sent to 755 Loop 337, New Braunfels, TX 78130.

Louisiana Monday

Baton Rouge, Jan. 27 (F.S.) - Auction held in Baton Rouge & Homer. Cattle 435. Slaughter cows 1,000-3,000 higher; bulls firm on thin test; feeders

steadily 8.00 higher. Slaughter cows Boasting utility 1-2 34.00-38.50 high dressers to 38.00; cutter 1-2 30.00-34.50. Bulls: Yield grade 1 northwest area 1365-2170 lbs. 42.00-44.00. Feeder steers: Medium frame 1 600-400 lbs. 69.00-77.00; 400-600 lbs. 63.50-71.00. Large frame 1 300-400 lbs. 70.00-74.50; 400-600 lbs. 67.25-68.50 southeast area. Small frame 1 400-500 lbs. 57.00-62.00 northwest area; 500-600 lbs. 55.50-58.25 southeast area. Medium frame 2 southeast area 300-400 lbs. 65.50-68.25.

Feeder heifers: Medium frame 1 300-400 lbs. 55.00-62.00; 400-500 lbs. 53.00-59.00. Large frame 1 300-400 lbs. 54.50-58.00 low to 58.00; 400-500 lbs. 52.00-57.00 northwest area; 500-600 lbs. 49.00-54.00 southeast area. Medium frame 2 300-400 lbs. 52.25-57.00 southeast area. Replacement feeder cows: Northwest area: Medium frame 1 & 2 cows 4-6 years old 5-7 months bred 650-950 lbs. 68.50-41.50 low to 45.00.

National Sheep, Lamb Summary

San Angelo, Jan. 27 (F.S.) - National Sheep Summary for Monday. Slaughter lambs steady to firm at Mid-west market centers; except 2.00 lower at Omaha. In Virginia slaughter lambs steady to 2.50 higher. In Mexico, MO on Friday slaughter lambs 50 to 2.00 higher, feeder lambs firm to 2.00 higher. In the Mid-west slaughter ewes steady and feeder lambs steady; except 1.00 higher at West Fargo. In direct trading slaughter lambs steady in the Mid-west on Friday.

Slaughter Lamb: Choice and prime 90-130 lb. Mid-west: Shorn 67.00-69.00, woolled 62.00-70.35. Virginia: Woolled 63.50-69.10. Mexico, MO: Shorn 65.50-68.50, in direct trading: Mid-west: Slaughter Lamb: Choice and prime 100-120 lb. shorn 60.00-68.50, woolled 67.00-67.00. Slaughter Ewes: Mid-west: Utility and good 26.00-32.00, cull 20.00-28.00. Mexico, MO: Utility and good 30.00-32.00. Feeder Lamb: Choice and fancy 50-100 lb. Mid-west: 64.00-74.00. Mexico, MO: 68.50-71.50. Stock Ewes: Mexico, MO: Mixed 3 year olds to short and solid mouth ewes 145-170 lb. 58.00-57.00 per head.

Sulphur Springs, Texas

Sulphur Springs, Jan. 27 (F.S.) - Receipts 1,625. Feeder steers: Medium frame no. 1: 280-270 lbs. 78.00-82.00; 300-400 lbs. 71.00-77.00; 400-500 lbs. 64.00-71.00; thin 420-480 lbs. 71.00-79.00. 500-615 lbs. 60.00-65.00. Medium & large frame no. 1-2: 265-400 lbs. 62.50-72.00; 400-550 lbs. 58.00-64.50. Feeder bulls: Large frame no. 1-2: 665-695 lbs. 46.00-48.00. Halfers: Medium frame no. 1: 290-400 lbs. 56.00-63.00; 400-550 lbs. 56.00-58.00; 550-670 lbs. 48.00-58.50. Medium & large frame no. 1-2: 300-400 lbs. 53.00-57.00; 400-580 lbs. 47.00-54.00. no. 1-2 young cows 44.50-49.50; small and medium frame no. 1-2 young to mid-die aged cows 37.00-40.00. Cow calf pairs: Medium frame no. 1-2 young cows with baby to 250 lb. calves 48.50-51.50 per pair; small and medium frame no. 1-2 cows with baby to 275 lb. calves 38.50-47.00 per pair. Slaughter cows: Boning utility 1-5 84.50-41.00, mostly 85.50-40.00; few high boning 41.00-42.00; cutter 1-2 82.00-88.50; canner 28.50-61.50; low canner 28.00-28.00. Bulls: Yield grade 1-8 1120-2160 lbs. 44.50-51.00; low boning 38.50-42.00.

Feeder Cattle Again Higher

St. Joseph, Jan. 24 (USDA) - National feeder cattle and calf receipts this week 205,600, last week 225,700, year ago 147,600. Prices for feeder steers and heifers continued to push upward as mild winter weather predominated over most of the nation. Feeder steers and heifers sold firm to 2.00 higher, in steers 8.00 higher. Calves and thin yearlings suitable for the upcoming grass season found most dependable outlet and often sold as the full advance even though all steers and heifers generally shared in the price advance to some extent.

River markets 20,300. Steers - medium and large frame 1 300-500 lbs. 67.75-74.25, 500-600 lbs. 63.00-60.50, 600-700 lbs. 61.00-66.75, 700-900 lbs. 60.00-55.00, 800-900 lbs. 59.50-63.35. Heifers - medium and large frame 1 300-500 lbs. 60.00-62.00, 500-600 lbs. 55.00-60.40, 600-700 lbs. 64.00-58.60, 700-900 lbs. 58.00-58.50.

Oklahoma City 15,600. Steers - medium and large frame 1 300-400 lbs. 72.75 to 75.00, 400-500 lbs. 67.75-74.50, 500-600 lbs. 66.30-70.10, 600-700 lbs. 62.00-63.30, 600-700 lbs. 62.80-65.30, 700-900 lbs. 60.60-64.70, 800-900 lbs. 59.00-63.00, 900-950 lbs. 57.00-50.00. Heifers - medium and large frame 1 300-400 lbs. 60.00-65.25, 400-500 lbs. 57.70-63.20, 500-600 lbs. 55.70-58.70, 600-700 lbs. 56.90-50.70, 700-900 lbs. 56.30-59.30.

Dodge City 6,800. Steers - medium frame 1 300-400 lbs. 74.00-76.50, 400-500 lbs. 68.75-72.00, 500-600 lbs. 63.50-68.50, 600-700 lbs. 61.00-66.25, 700-900 lbs. 62.50-65.00, 800-900 lbs. 59.25-62.90. Heifers - medium frame 1 300-400 lbs. 56.50-62.00, 400-500 lbs. 55.75-61.40, 500-600 lbs. 55.00-60.75, 600-700 lbs. 56.75-59.30, 700-900 lbs. 57.25-60.80.

Springfield, Mo., 4,900. Steers - medium and large frame 1 300-400 lbs. 67.75-72.25, 400-500 lbs. 64.00-70.50, 500-600 lbs. 61.00-66.00, 600-700 lbs. 60.00-63.50, 700-800 lbs. 58.50-62.50, 800-900 lbs. 57.00-60.00, 900-1,000 lbs. 55.00-58.70. Heifers - medium and large frame 1 300-400 lbs. 56.00-60.25, 400-500 lbs. 53.00-58.25, 500-600 lbs. 52.00-57.00, 600-700 lbs. 50.50-56.80, 700-800 lbs. 50.50-56.80.

Arkansas summary 10,400. Steers - medium and large frame 1 300-400 lbs. 76.00-83.00, 400-500 lbs. 70.00-77.00, 500-600 lbs. 68.00-74.00, 600-700 lbs. 64.00-70.00, 700-800 lbs. 62.00-68.00, 800-900 lbs. 58.00-64.00, 900-1,000 lbs. 57.00-62.00. Heifers - medium and large frame 1 300-400 lbs. 68.00-73.00, 400-500 lbs. 66.00-70.00, 500-600 lbs. 62.00-67.00, 600-700 lbs. 60.00-65.00, 700-800 lbs. 58.00-63.00, 800-900 lbs. 56.00-61.00, 900-1,000 lbs. 54.00-59.00.

South Dakota direct 9,800. Steers - medium, some large frame 1 400-500 lbs. 67.00-72.00, 500-600 lbs. 64.00-70.00, 600-700 lbs. 62.00-68.00, 700-800 lbs. 60.00-66.00, 800-900 lbs. 58.00-64.00, 900-1,000 lbs. 56.00-62.00. Heifers - medium, some large frame 1 400-500 lbs. 67.00-72.00, 500-600 lbs. 64.00-70.00, 600-700 lbs. 62.00-68.00, 700-800 lbs. 60.00-66.00, 800-900 lbs. 58.00-64.00, 900-1,000 lbs. 56.00-62.00.

Southeast complex 33,500. Steers - medium and large frame 1 200-250 lbs. 84.00-98.00, 250-300 lbs. 75.00-85.00, 300-350 lbs. 72.00-82.00, 350-400 lbs. 67.00-78.00, 400-500 lbs. 60.00-72.50, 500-600 lbs. 55.00-66.00, 600-800 lbs. 53.00-68.00. Heifers - medium and large frame 1 200-300 lbs. 63.00-68.00, 300-400 lbs. 62.00-82.00, 400-500 lbs. 48.00-59.50, 500-700 lbs. 45.00-56.00. Salesteers: Colorado auction 8,000. Steers - medium, some large frame 1 350-400 lbs. 72.50-79.25, 400-500 lbs. 64.50-73.75, 500-600 lbs. 61.50-70.25, 600-700 lbs. 61.00-65.25, 700-800 lbs. 58.75-64.00, 800-900 lbs. 58.75-62.75. Halfers - medium, some large frame 1 300-400 lbs. 61.50-66.00, 400-500 lbs. 57.75-63.50, 500-600 lbs. 57.50-60.00, 600-750 lbs. 50.00-60.25.

Ninth International Charbray Sale At Houston, February 21
Houston, Texas - The 9th International Charbray Sale will be held Friday, February 21, 1986. Sale time is 2:00 p.m. in the Auction Sale Arena of the Astrodome at the Houston Livestock Show Grounds.

For information on the sale offering and catalogs contact the Sale Manager and Auctioneer, Randolph Holford, P.O. Box 9, Fresno, Texas, 77745, 718/481-1362.

Harris Brangus Sets "New Era II" Sale For February 16

Columbus, Texas - The Harris Brangus "New Era II" Sale will be held Sunday, February 16, 1986. Sale time is 3:00 p.m. at the Harris Brangus Farm of Columbus, Texas.

Selling will be 45 lots of Brangus cattle including donors and donor prospects as well as pairs, bred females and open females.

Auctioneer will be Ruben Reyes and Sale Consultant is Jess Bryce. For information contact Harris Farms, W. B. "Tiny" Harris, 409/732-3826 or the sale manager, Pierce Sales Company, Bellville, Texas 409/805-9104.

Pace Shows Grand Champion Heifer At Nueces Show

Joe Pace, North Richland Hills, TX, was awarded the Santa Gertrudis Grand Champion heifer with his Nines Bar Ranch heifer at the Nueces County Junior Livestock Show Jan. 12. Shannon Thasek, Brookston, TX, with his Mayfair Ranch heifer was Judge Jim Williams' choice for Reserve Grand Champion.

Trey Lyon Powell took home first place in the senior showmanship contest, and Misty Wimberly was awarded first place in the junior showmanship competition.

Champion pairings for the heifer show were as follows: Champion Heifer Calf Shannon Thasek, Mayfair Ranch heifer; Reserve Champion Heifer Calf Ty Harris, King Ranch heifer; Champion Yearling Heifer: Shannon Thasek, Clay Thasek heifer; Reserve Champion Yearling Heifer: Robert Murdoch, Jr., Lundells Inc. heifer; Champion Senior Heifer: Joe Pace, Nines Bar Ranch heifer; Reserve Champion Senior

S. Texas Junior Santa Gertrudis

The South Texas Junior Santa Gertrudis Association held a meeting on Jan. 11 in conjunction with the Nueces County Open Junior Heifer Show. The upcoming National Show was discussed by John Gillett, Show Chairman. The main item of business was the election of officers. They are as follows: President - Susie Wolfelt; Vice-President - Ty Harris; Secretary - Amy Agular; Directors - Paul Bacas, Steve Williams, Lucian Bacas, Lawrence Bacas, Krecs Harris.

Panhandle Feedlot Movement 95,700

Amario, Jan. 24 (F.S.) - Slaughter steers steady to 1.50 higher, heifers steady to 50 lower. The last time volume reached over ninety thousand was on September 20, four months ago. The liberal movement will keep feedlots in very good condition, and most packers have put together several days of inventory. This week a few pens were sold over the bulk of the general market, but these cattle were not bought by area packers. Next week show lists should be somewhat smaller, but larger in the next few weeks past them.

The average live weight of most cattle slaughtered at area packing plants last week was 1,097 lbs. on 123,893 head and 33% heifers. The previous week 1,098 lbs. was the average on 118,106 head and 86% heifers. The same week a year ago 1,071 lbs. was the average on 124,621 head and 27% heifers.

Steers 84,200; Near 1,200 head mostly choice 2-8 1,100-1,175 lbs. 50.25-50.75. Good and mostly choice 2-3, 70-85% choice, 1,100-1,210 lbs. 58.50-60.00, late 58.50-59.25. Mixed good and choice 2-3 1,050-1,200 lbs. 57.50-59.50, late 58.50-59.25. Pen good, few choice 2-3 1,150 lbs. 57.00. Good and choice 2-8 1,150-1,200 lb. calf fed Holsteins 58.00-54.00. Heifers 31,500; Good and mostly choice 2-8 950-1,025 lbs. 57.50-58.50, late 57.50-58.00 with near 350 head 58.50. Mixed good and choice 2-8 925-1,000 lbs. 56.00-57.50.

Arkansas, Saturday

Fayetteville, Jan. 26 (F.S.) - Receipts 1,500. Feeder steers and heifer 1,00-2,00 higher. Slaughter steers and bulls 2.00 higher. Feeder steers - medium and large frame 1, 300-350 lbs. 74.00-82.00, few 250-350 lbs. 68.00-90.00, 350-400 lbs. 78.00-80.00, 400-500 lbs. 68.00-78.00, 450-500 lbs. 68.00-74.50, 500-600 lbs. 63.00-70.00, fleshy 300-400 lbs. 65.00-72.00, 400-500 lbs. 64.00-70.00, 400-500 lbs. 62.00-67.00. Bulls - medium and large frame 1, 800-400 lbs. 72.00-80.00, 400-500 lbs. 68.00-72.00, 500-600 lbs. 60.00-68.00. Small frame 1, 800-400 lbs. 68.00-70.00, 400-500 lbs. 60.00-68.00. Heifers - medium and large frame 1, 800-400 lbs. 67.00-64.00, 400-500 lbs. 64.00-60.00, 400-500 lbs. 66.00-62.00, pigs, Charolais cross 400 lbs. 63.50. Medium frame 1, fleshy 350-500 lbs. 55.00-60.00.

Yearling steers - medium and large frame 1, 500-800 lbs. 64.00-70.00, 500-800 lbs. 59.00-65.00, pigs, Charolais Hereford cross goats 828 lbs. 68.25.

Helpful: Shannon Thasek, Mayfair Ranch heifer; Best of Polled: David Rios, J. M. Martinez, Jr. heifer. Seventy-nine head rounded out this strong Santa Gertrudis showing.

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National Charolais Sale At Houston Show Set February 21

Houston, Texas - The 7th National Charolais Sale will be held Friday, February 21, 1986. Sale time is 7:45 p.m. in the Astrohall Super Sale Salon of the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.

Selling will be 20 lots of Charolais cattle including 1 bull, 17 top females and 2 transplanted calves. Also selling will be added lots from the headliners in the National Charolais Show to be held February 20.

The sale is sponsored by the American International Charolais Association and the Texas Charolais Breeders Association.

For information contact the sale manager Buzz Garey, Box B, 100 Walnut Lane, Morrisville, Pa. 19067, 215/295-6485.

"A believer," once wrote Emerson, "...la never disturbed because other persons do not yet see the fact which he sees."

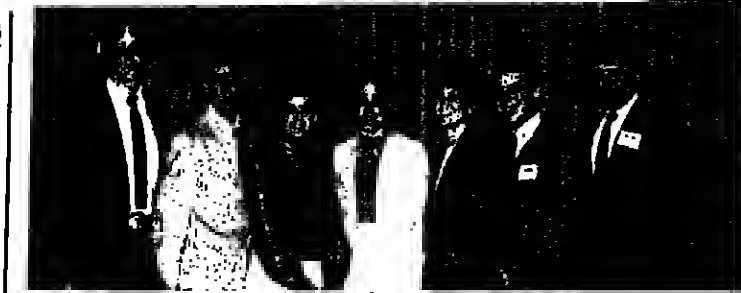
Youth Beef Industry Meet

Omaha, - Cattle industry opportunities as well as issues and problems were outlined for young cattle persons at the Third Youth Beef Industry Congress at AK-SAR-BEN Plaid, Omaha.

The event, sponsored by the U.S. Beef Breeds Council and Knights of AK-SAR-BEN, attracted 90 young persons from 11 national beef breed organizations. Most of the men and women on hand were high school and college students active in their junior beef associations.

Basic purpose of the congress were to broaden the young person's views of the beef business and to provide them with the background and motivation needed to help them become future industry leaders.

Guest speakers representing all segments of the beef cattle business and national industry organizations highlighted the conference meetings. Dr. Roger Hunsley, Omaha, American Short-horn Association, represented the U.S. Beef Breeds Council in his discussion of the conference's purpose and role of the beef industry. In addition, Sam Washburn, Fowler, Ia., past president of the National Cattlemen's Association; David Nichols, Anita, Ia., seedstock producer; and Rhonda Scheulen, Loosa Creek, Mo., past national FFA vice-president, motivated and challenged the delegates to seek



Officers of the American Junior Brahman Association recently attended the Third Youth Beef Industry Congress in Omaha, Nebraska. Those officers that attended include (l to r) Jay Daughtry of Wauchula, Florida - President, Gordy Brouseard of Kapien, Louisiana - Director-at-large, Twila Groome of Tyler, Texas - Vice-President, Terri Hufald of Washington, Texas - Treasurer, Shongh Ramsey of Pecos, Texas - Secretary, Jimmy Bartwell of Seely, Texas - Reporter and Vincent Matosch, Director of Association Services for the American Brahman Breeders Assn.

the opportunities available in the beef business and agriculture today.

"In any assembly," wrote Jacques Barzun, "the simplest way to stop the transacting of business and split the ranks is to appeal to a principle." And, said Lord Melbourne, "Nobody ever did anything very foolish except from some strong principle."

The grand champion Brahman bull of the 1986 Arizona National Livestock Show in Phoenix was Rox 870, owned by Spring Creek Ranch of Waller, Texas.

The International Brahman Show, Female Judging will be held Wednesday, February 19 at 8:00 a.m. The Bull Judging will be held at 8:00 a.m. February 20.

Auctioneer is Stanley Stout. Sale chairman is Wendell E. Schronk.

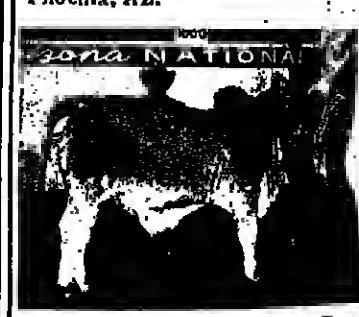
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Miss HCC 3/463, owned by Hudson Cattle Corp. of Bay City, Texas, was chosen as the grand champion Brahman female of the 1986 Arizona National Livestock Show in Phoenix, AZ.



The M Ranch of Thornton, Texas exhibited the reserve grand champion Brahman bull of the 1986 Arizona National Livestock Show in Phoenix, AZ. Their winning entry was FDC Adapter 2 Suville 3.



The 1986 Arizona National Livestock Show reserve grand champion Brahman female was Miss SCR Sierra 887, owned by Spring Creek Ranch of Waller, Texas.

Brahman Champions Chosen At The 1986 Arizona National

The Hudson Cattle Corp. of TX and Spring Creek Ranch of TX captured the top championships at the Arizona National Livestock Show in Phoenix. The show was held on January 4th and was judged by Larry St. Cyr of Lockport, Louisiana.

Miss HCC 3/463, owned by Hudson Cattle Corp., was chosen as the grand champion female. The May 29-year-old female, SCR Tex 870, owned by Spring Creek Ranch was chosen as the reserve grand champion bull. Judge St. Cyr had used him as the junior champion bull.

Spring Creek Ranch also captured the reserve grand champion female award with Miss SCR Sierra 887. The M Ranch of Thornton, TX exhibited the reserve grand champion bull and calf champion bull. Their winning entry was FDC Adapter 2 Suville 3.

Other winners in the female division included: calf champion - Miss HCC 610/5, owned by Hudson Cattle Corp.; junior champion - DB Southern 5/58/4 owned by Deering Brothers Livestock Plantation of Hemphill, TX; reserve junior champion - FDC Suville 47 owned by M Ranch.

Winners in the bull division included: reserve grand champion - M Ranch Adapter 2 Suville 3; grand champion - FDC Adapter 2 Suville 3.

International Brahman Sale At Houston Show Set For February 20

Houston, Texas - The International Brahman Sale sponsored by the American Brahman Breeders Association will be held Thursday, February 20, 1986. Sale time is 2:00 p.m. in the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo in the Super Sale Salon.

Selling will be 24 Brahman females and 3 Brahman herd sire prospects. The International Brahman Show, Female Judging will be held Wednesday, February 19 at 8:00 a.m. The Bull Judging will be held at 8:00 a.m. February 20.

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Brahman Champions Chosen At The 1986 Arizona National

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Junior champion - Mr. HCC 700/4 owned by Hudson Cattle Corp., senior champion - KK Gordo Gihins 414 owned by Robert Neil Bushong of Buckeye, AZ, and reserve senior champion - BCF Suville Adapter 31 owned by M Ranch. Hudson Cattle Corp. exhibited the champion Produce-of-Dam with the produce of SW Saddle's Fancy Lady 800. The M Ranch garnered the champion Embryo Produce-of-Dam award with the offspring of JFW Roscoe Munso 406. Spring Creek Ranch captured the champion Get-of-Sire with the get of JH11 Mr. Tony Ewing Munso 404/2.

ABBA Announces Creation Of Brahman 'Hall Of Fame'

Houston - The American Brahman Breeders Association has recently announced the creation of a "Hall of Fame" to recognize those outstanding breeders and staff persons who have made significant and long lasting contributions to the breed and association.

The first selection committee met recently and elected nine persons who will be posthumously inducted into the "Hall of Fame" during the 1986 Annual Meeting in February in Houston, Texas. Family members of these deceased breeders will be on hand to receive this long due recognition.

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In making the announcement, ABBA President Sloan Williams said, "It is only fitting that we recognize these early breeders in this special way. It was due to their courage and determination that we Brahman breeders today are able to prosper."

After this initial year, primarily only one honoree will be selected per year. To be eligible, an individual must have had a long association with and made significant contributions to the breed and association. At least 75% of the committee must approve of a nominee before they are accepted for the honor.

The first nine honorees will not be announced prior to the February 18 meeting in Houston.

COBA Announces A.I. & Palpation Schools For 1986

Tyler, Texas - COBA/Select Sires, Inc. has announced a series of A.I. and Palpation Schools to be held during 1986 in Texas, Oklahoma and Arizona. Both courses can be taken at the same time with no conflict in scheduled at each school. Palpation is not offered by itself unless the student has previously attended an A.I. School. The cost of the A.I. course is \$200 and the cost of the Palpation course is \$200. A \$50.00 semen credit certificate will be given to each A.I. student to apply on purchase of semen from COBA.

School dates and locations are as follows:

February 18-20, Bowie, Texas.
March 11-14, Sulphur Springs, Texas and March 18-20, Cuero, Texas.
April 2-4, Alvin, Oklahoma; April 8-10, Tishomingo, Oklahoma; April 15-17, Brenham, Texas and April 22-24, TSTI, Waco, Texas.
May 6-8, Cleburne, Texas; May 12-15, Tyler, Texas and May 20-22, Oklahoma City, Okla.
June 5-8, Phoenix, Arizona; June 17-19, Martin, Texas and June 30 to July 3, Tyler, Texas.
July 15-17, Stephenville, Texas.
September 9-12, Sulphur Springs, Texas and September 23-25, Phoenix, Arizona.

October 8-9, Tyler, Texas; October 22-24, Pryor, Okla.; and October 28-31, Lufkin, Texas.
November 11-13, San Angelo, Texas.
December 1-4, Tyler, Texas and December 15-17, San Antonio, Texas.
For further information on the school locations, schedules and to make reservations contact COBA/Select Sires, Rt. 2, Box 839, Tyler, Texas 75704-9688, 214/606-3781.

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Your Catalog Is In the January Issue of the Charolais Journal. The information on the added lots will be available at sale time.

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EMI & Riley Set Brangus Sale For February 17

Simonton, Texas - The International Extravaganza Brangus Sale will be held Monday, February 17, 1986 at the EMI Ranch at Simonton, Texas. The sale will be held in conjunction with International Brangus events during the Houston Stock Show and Rodeo. Participants also include Blazer Brangus, Diamond M Acres and Lone Star Brangus.

This will be an all donor, donor prospect and show quality heifer sale featuring 30 donor females.

December Red Meat Production Up 1%

Washington, Jan. 24 (USDA) - Commercial red meat production for the United States in December 1985 totaled 3.14 billion pounds, up 1% from December 1984, according to the Crop Reporting Board. January-December red meat production, at 39.1 billion pounds, was up fractionally from last year. The 1985 accumulated production percentage changes by individual components were beef, up 1; veal, up 4; pork, virtually unchanged; lamb and mutton, down 6.

Comparing December 1985 with December 1984:

Veal production, at 46 million pounds, was up 18%. Calf slaughter totaled 816 thousand head, up 18%. Live weight averaged 246 pounds, 3 pounds heavier than last year.

Pork production totaled 1.22 billion pounds, down fractionally. Hog kill totaled 6.90 million head, down 1%. Average live weight increased 1 pound to 245.

Lamb and mutton at 30 million pounds, was unchanged. Slaughter totaled 605 thousand head, down 6%. Live weight averaged 117 pounds, 3 pounds heavier than a year earlier.

McAlester, Okla.

McAlester, Jan. 27 (F-S) - Receipts 1,200. Feeder cattle and calves 2,000-3,000 higher. Slaughter cows 1,000-2,000 higher. Bulls steady to 50 cents higher. Feeder Steers: Medium frame No. 1 200-300 lb. 81.50-87.00; 300-400 lb. 75.00-83.00;

400-500 lb. 68.00-75.50; 500-600 lb. 55.00-71.25; 600-700 lb. 60.50-66.50; 700-800 lb. 58.50-62.00. Heifers: Medium frame No. 1 200-300 lb. 60.00-64.50; 300-400 lb. 60.50-65.00; 400-500 lb. 50.00-63.50; 500-600 lb. 57.50-60.00; 600-700 lb. 53.25-58.50. Slaughter Cows: Breaking utility and commercial 2-3 33.25-35.50. Boning utility 34.00-38.50. Cutter 1-2 30.00-32.00. Bulls: Y.G. 1-2 1080-1975 lb. 43.00-50.00 individual 1965 lb. 52.50. Medium and small frame No. 1-2, 3-7 year old replacement cows 38.00-45.00; with 100-200 lb. calves of sale 500.00-525.00 per pair.

Wool & Mohair

Greeley, Jan. 23 (USDA) - Domestic wool market inactive with very limited offerings. However, shearing underway in Arizona as well as some early shearing in the midwest and parts of the intermountain area. Consequently, in-

creased offerings expected by a week. No sales confirmed this week. Most of industry attention focused on the National Wool Growers convention in progress as of this writing.

Australian wool quotations uneven; wools finer than 24 micron firm but 15c lower. The market index was at 580c cents clean per lb. Wednesday and AWC purchase averaged less than 5%.

Beef Program Officers Elected

College Station - Officers of the South Central Texas Beef Board improvement program were elected at recent meeting of the program's advisory committee.

Directing the program's education and promotional efforts for 1986: Fred Elliott of Franklin, Roberts County, chairman; Warren High Bastrop, Bastrop County, vice chairman; and LaGaye Sosnowy, Cameron County, secretary.

Elliott is in the crossbred business and has taught vocative agriculture at Franklin High School the past 16 years. He is a 4-H leader; chairs the Robertson County Program Building Committee and the beef advisory committee.

Higgins is in the commercial cow business and serves on the livestock committee of the Bastrop County Program Building Committee. He has been involved in several other areas of the cattle industry, including operating an auction barn and being a Texas Cattle Raisers' Association.

Sosnowy and her husband, John, registered Red Brangus cattle. Oakway Farms near Cameron. She is active 4-H leader and serves on the livestock subcommittee of the McCulloch County Program Building Committee. Her husband is president of the Red Brangus Association.

The South Central Texas Beef Improvement Program boasts five forces aimed at improving beef production efficiency and profitability. They are: research, nutrition, marketing, genetics and health.

A major effort of the group will be to implement the South Central Texas Beef Marketing Association, pointing out the benefits of beef to the public. The marketing association will be formed at increasing the income of beef producers - both large and small operators - through an organized marketing effort, Fehlis points out.

Texas Tri-Satellite Beefmaster Sale Set For February 22

San Antonio - The Texas Tri-Satellite Beefmaster Sale will be held Saturday, February 22, 1986. Sale time is 2:00 p.m. at the Livestock Performance Center between San Antonio and Castroville on Hwy. 90 West. The sale will be held in conjunction with the Foundation Beefmaster Convention.

Bidding will be 50 females including open heifers and three-in-ones, and bulls that are 18 to 24 months of age. The bulls are performance and fertility tested and ready for service.

Sale headquarters will be the La Alamo Del Rio, San Antonio. A pre-party is scheduled for Friday, February 21, 1986 at 7:00 p.m. Auctioneer will be Ron Ball.

For information and catalog, call 512/527-3270, 512/488-2553, 512/788-2901.

Nobody should be chief executive officer of anything for more than six years. By then he's stale, bored, utterly dependent on his own clichés, though they may have been revolutionary ideas when he first brought them to the office.

Gulf Coast Area Beefmaster Sale Set February 15

Wharton, Texas - The Gulf Coast Area Beefmaster Sale will be held Saturday, February 15, 1986. Sale time is 1:00 p.m. at the Wharton County Fairgrounds at Wharton, Texas.

Selling will be 100 lots of Beefmaster cattle including 70 range bulls and 30 females. The female offering includes pairs, and bred and open heifers. A pre-sale calf fry will be held Friday, February 14 at the sale site in the evening.

Sale headquarters will be the Drummers Inn, Wharton, Texas, 713/532-4870.

For information contact the sale management, Reyes, Mihalaki and Menchaca, Box 32828, San Antonio, Texas 78215, 512/349-2185.

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International Zebu Breeders Association Sale Set February 19

Houston, Texas - The 40th Anniversary Sale of the International Zebu Breeders Association will be held Wednesday, February 19, 1986. Sale time is 7:00 p.m. at the Marriott-Astrodome Hotel at Houston, Texas.

Selling will be 15 select Zebu females that will exemplify 40 years of striving for improvement in quality in the breed. Auctioneer will be Stanley E. Stout. There will be a cocktail party at 5:30 p.m. preceding the sale and the IZBA party and dance at 9:30 p.m.

For information contact the International Zebu Breeders Assn., 2800 South Loop West, Suite 310, Houston, Texas 77064, 713/656-8374.

Select Chianina Sale At Houston Set For February 17

Houston, Texas - The Select Chianina Sale will be held Tuesday, February 17, 1986 in the Super Sale Salon at the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo. The sale will follow the 1986 National Italian Fublood Chianina Futurity set for 3:00 p.m., Monday, Feb. 17, 1986.

For information contact Stanley E. Stout Auction Services, Inc., Rt. 1, Box 129A, Linwood, Kansas 66052, 913/723-3261.

Gulf Coast Sets Hereford Sale For February 1

Brenham, Texas - The Gulf Coast Hereford Association Sale will be held Saturday, February 1, 1986. Sale time is 1:00 p.m. at the Washington County Fairgrounds at Brenham, Texas.

Selling will be 50 lots of Hereford cattle including 58 bulls and 22 females. For information and catalogs contact the Gulf Coast Hereford Association, L. A. Kuiper, Box 33088, Houston, Texas 77233, 713/641-2345.

Luling Foundation Performance Tested Bull Sale, Feb. 15

Luling, Texas - The Luling Foundation Performance Tested Bull Sale will be held Saturday, February 15, 1986. Sale time is 1:00 p.m. at the Luling Foundation on U.S. 90 West of Luling, Texas. A Seminar is scheduled for 9:30 a.m.

Selling will be 40 bulls on official 126 day test. The offering will include Brangus, Chianina-Angus, Santa Gertrudis, Simbrah, Simmental, Hereford, Beefmaster and Maine-Anjou.

Also selling will be 3/4 Simmental and Simbrah heifers, Simmental-Brangus heifers, Hereford-Brangus heifers, P-1 Hereford-Brahman and Simbrah females. Auctioneer will be Charles Rollins.

For information contact Archie Alramod, Manager, The Luling Foundation, 512/875-2438 or 875-3815 evenings. Sale day phone is 512/875-2438.

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1986 ARBA Executive Committee: (l to r) Harold Watson, DeHidder, Louisiana, secretary; Charlie Parker, Gilmer, Texas, president-elect; Ron Jones, Austin, Texas, president; and Sam Elrod, Bluff Dale, Texas, treasurer.

Successful ARBA Convention Held

November 23, 1985 was the date and San Antonio, Texas was the place for Red Brangus as American Red Brangus Association (ARBA) members from California to Missouri gathered for the Association's 27th Annual Convention. The agenda for the day kicked off early with a meeting of the minds of Red Brangus breeders from outside Red Brangus founding state of Texas to voice their views on what would most also breed growth on a national level. California, Colorado, Oklahoma, Louisiana, Kansas and Missouri were represented.

That meeting was followed by a gathering of the 1986 ARBA Board of Directors to wrap up their year's business.

At noon nearly three hundred Red Brangus breeders and supporters met for this opening of the general membership meeting, keynote address and lunch.



Newly Elected Red Brangus Directors: Elected to three year terms on the American Red Brangus Assn. Board of Directors at the 1986 annual meeting were (l to r) Harold Watson, DeHidder, Louisiana; Harry Moore, Hamlin, Texas; Walter Leeman, Houston, Texas; and Sam Elrod, Bluff Dale, Texas.

The keynote address was given by Clon Brinkman, Brinks Brangus, Kerrville, Texas, a nationally noted cowman and a superior merchandiser of beef cattle. He told Red Brangus breeders in on the merchandising plan at Brinks Brangus and gave some pointers on developing out only a sound marketing program but a sound breeding program for any breed.

The upshot was followed with nominations to fill the six vacancies on the ARBA Board of Directors and a recess for the membership to cast their ballots.

The general membership reconvened to hear committee reports from each of the standing committees and the newly elected Directors were announced. The new Directors are Barry Moore, Pled Piper Farms, Hamlin, Texas; Sam

Cash Grain Trade Mixed

Austin, Jan. 27 (F-S) - Texas high plain grain. Mondays cash offers to high plain area farmers were steady to mixed as requested to Friday drop in prices. Prices paid to the farmer F.I.R. elevator as of 4 p.m. Mon. Jan. 27, 1986 (grain sorghum per hundredweight): wheat, corn, & soybeans per bushel.

Area north of the Canadian River: Grain sorghum \$4.00-4.05. Wheat 2.75-2.85. Corn 2.55-2.75.

Triangle area from Plainview to Canyon to Farwell: Grain sorghum \$3.95-4.20. Wheat 2.85-3.20, mostly 2.85-2.95. Soybeans 4.40-4.70. Corn 2.60-2.85.

Area south of a line from Plainview to Muleshoe (Counties of Bailey, Lamb, Hale, Floyd, Hockley & Lulworth): Grain sorghum \$4.00-4.05. Wheat 2.80-3.00, mostly 2.80-2.90. Soybeans 4.30-4.70, mostly 4.50-4.60. Corn 2.60-2.65.

Elevators in the Texas high plains were reporting offers and bids for no. 2 grain sorghum \$4.35-4.45 per cwt. No. 2 yellow corn \$5.00-5.10 per cwt.

Houston cash grain markets closed as follows: No. 1 wheat, export ordinary \$3.49%3.53%. No. 2 yellow grain sorghum, export \$4.27-4.33. No. 2 yellow corn, export \$2.65%2.68%. No. 1 soybeans, export \$5.18-5.23.

Kansas City, Jan. 27 (USDA) - Daily national grain market summary. Cash grain and soybeans closed mixed Monday. Trading slow, export demand continues to support wheat markets. Syria tenders today for 150,000 tons optional origin wheat and South Korea for 22,500 tons wheat for March. Corn and soybeans finished the day slightly lower with traders concerned with the strength in gold and foreign currencies markets.

Grains inspected for export for the week ended January 23, 1986. Wheat totaled 11.3 million bushels, a decline of 9.7 million bushels, corn totaled 35.6 million bushels, down 2.3 million bushels and soybeans 22.9 million bushels, an increase of 1.8 million bushels.

Terminal grain bids, average price paid for truck delivery.

Wheat: Kansas City 3.23-3.27, up 8. Minneapolis 3.85%, down 4. Portland 8.64-8.68, down 6. St. Louis 3.39-3.42, up 4.8.

Corn, U.S. no. 2 yellow: Kansas City 2.35-2.39, down 1. Minneapolis 2.24%, down 4. So. Iowa 2.32-2.38, down 1-2. Omaha 2.24-2.29, unchanged-up 1. Norfolk 2.47-2.54, down 1.

Soybeans, U.S. no. 1 yellow: Kansas City 5.30-5.31, down 1-unchanged. Minneapolis 5.81%, unchanged. So. Iowa 5.33-5.36, unchanged-up 1. C. Ill. Processors 5.45-5.50, unchanged.

Kansas City, U.S. no. 1 hard red winter wheat, ordinary protein: Minneapolis, U.S. no. 1 dark northern spring wheat, 14% protein: Portland no. 1 soft white wheat; and St. Louis, no. 2 soft red winter wheat.

Dodge City, Jan. 27 (USDA) - Southwest Kansas grain market. Wheat 3 higher, couple instances 4-5 up; corn steady in 1 lower, one instance 2 off; grain sorghum mostly steady, one instance 5 higher and one instance 3 lower; soybeans 1 lower, couple instances 5-6 higher. Mondays closing elevator bids:

#1 hrw wheat 2.75-2.79.
#2 yel corn 2.40-2.46.
#2 yel grn sorghum 3.55-3.70.
#2 yel soybeans 4.84-4.88.

Des Moines, Jan. 27 (F-S) - Daily grain prices, spot, truck prices for supplies delivered to elevators, dollars per bushel, except sorghum per cwt. Omaha - Council Bluffs:

No. 1 hard red winter wheat ordinary protein 3.13 to 3.15, 3 higher.
No. 2 yellow corn 2.24 to 2.29, steady to 1 higher.
No. 2 heavy oats 1.24 to 1.25, steady.
No. 2 yellow sorghum 8.45 to 8.48, 2 lower.
No. 1 yellow soybeans 5.15 to 5.19, steady.

Grain traded in a narrow range with many traders on the sidelines waiting for further USDA announcements on this year's farm program. Farm selling remains light and farmers not under pressure to sell present inventory.

Oklahoma Closing Cash Grain Bids

Prices to farmers FOB elevator Monday afternoon, in cents per bushel, except sorghum per cwt.

U.S. no. 1 hard red winter wheat: Muskogee 2.72, Beaver, Keyes, Liberal, Perryton 2.75, Miami 2.78, Afton 2.78, Clinton, Weatherford 2.79, Eldorado 2.80, Banner, El Reno, Coary, Kingfisher, Okeene, Watonga, Yukon 2.81, Pauls Valley, Temple 2.82, Medford, Ponca City 2.83, Davis 2.84, Holari, Manchester 2.85, Frederick, Lawton 2.89, Gulf 3.58%.

U.S. no. 2 hardy: Watonga 1.80, Weatherford 1.90, Beaver, Keyes, Liberal, Perryton 2.00, Kingfisher 2.25.

U.S. no. 2 miln: Ponca City 3.30, Weatherford 3.40, Watonga 3.45, Afton, Miami, Muskogee 3.60, Davis 3.70, Manchester 3.76, Beaver, Keyes, Liberal, Perryton 4.05, Gulf 4.32.

U.S. no. 1 yellow sorghum: Muskogee 4.40, Beaver, Keyes, Liberal, Perryton 4.45, Miami 4.50, Afton 4.55, Clinton, Weatherford 4.60, Eldorado 4.65, Banner, El Reno, Coary, Kingfisher, Okeene, Watonga, Yukon 4.70, Pauls Valley, Temple 4.75, Medford, Ponca City 4.80, Davis 4.85, Holari, Manchester 4.90, Frederick, Lawton 4.95, Gulf 5.50%.

4.40, Davis 4.61, Beaver, Keyes, Liberal, Pauls Valley, Temple 4.65, Miami 4.86, Afton 4.90, Muskogee 4.95. U.S. no. 2 yellow corn in the 6 panhandle area was 2.65-2.70 p. bushel.

Cattle Steady, Firm At Abilene Monday

Abilene, Tex., Jan. 27 (F-S) - Range 1,000. Feeder steers and bulls. Feeder heifers mostly 1.00-2.00. Limited supply replacement cows and cow-calf pairs steady. Few slaughter and bulls firm. Feeder Steers: Medium large frame No. 1: 400-500 lbs. 60.00-70.50, 500-600 lbs. 60.00-62.50, 600-700 lbs. 58.00-68.50, 700-800 lbs. 55.00-61.50. Small frame No. 1: 300-350 lbs. 63.00-61.50, 350-400 lbs. 57.00-65.00, 400-450 lbs. 50.00-55.00, 450-500 lbs. 50.00-55.00, 500-550 lbs. 50.00-55.00, 550-600 lbs. 50.00-55.00, 600-650 lbs. 50.00-55.00, 650-700 lbs. 50.00-55.00, 700-750 lbs. 50.00-55.00, 750-800 lbs. 50.00-55.00, 800-850 lbs. 50.00-55.00, 850-900 lbs. 50.00-55.00, 900-950 lbs. 50.00-55.00, 950-1000 lbs. 50.00-55.00.

Replacement Cows: Few young to midle aged medium frame No. 1: 2 pregnancy tested 750-1000 lbs. 34.00-48.00. Cow Calf Pairs: Few young to middle aged medium frame No. 1: 2 cows with calves 355.00-535.00 per pair. Slaughter Cows: Few utility 3-3 3/4 32.00-35.00. But Yield grade 1-3 1400-2100 lbs. 43.00-49.00, high dressing individual 61.00.

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Shorthorn Extravaganza Scheduled March 8

The annual Shorthorn Extravaganza Club Calf Sale will be held Saturday, March 8. Sale time is 1:00 P.M. at the J. W. Holmes Farm at Tolar, Texas. The sale offering will be comprised of a strong genetic base of straight Shorthorn steers. This will be the largest selection of straight Shorthorn steers to sell in the Southwest this year.

A new dimension added to the sale this year will be the addition of Angus steers bred by Premier Angus of Cloverdale, Ind. This will be an opportunity to fill club calf needs from a select offering.

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Newly Elected Red Brangus Directors: Elected to three year terms on the American Red Brangus Assn. Board of Directors at the 1986 annual meeting were (l to r) Harold Watson, DeHidder, Louisiana; Harry Moore, Hamlin, Texas; Walter Leeman, Houston, Texas; and Sam Elrod, Bluff Dale, Texas.

November 23, 1985 was the date and San Antonio, Texas was the place for Red Brangus as American Red Brangus Association (ARBA) members from California to Missouri gathered for the Association's 27th Annual Convention. The agenda for the day kicked off early with a meeting of the minds of Red Brangus breeders from outside Red Brangus founding state of Texas to voice their views on what would most also breed growth on a national level. California, Colorado, Oklahoma, Louisiana, Kansas and Missouri were represented.

That meeting was followed by a gathering of the 1986 ARBA Board of Directors to wrap up their year's business.

At noon nearly three hundred Red Brangus breeders and supporters met for this opening of the general membership meeting, keynote address and lunch.

The keynote address was given by Clon Brinkman, Brinks Brangus, Kerrville, Texas, a nationally noted cowman and a superior merchandiser of beef cattle. He told Red Brangus breeders in on the merchandising plan at Brinks Brangus and gave some pointers on developing out only a sound marketing program but a sound breeding program for any breed.

The upshot was followed with nominations to fill the six vacancies on the ARBA Board of Directors and a recess for the membership to cast their ballots.

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180 ACRES - 3-80, 2-bath frame home, barn, corral, 2 new ponds, fenced & cr-fenced
Improved pastures. US highway frontage and county road frontage Asking \$1,700 per acre.
180 ACRES - 3-80, 2-bath brick veneer home w/WFFP, ceiling fans, CHCA, sunroom, &
equipped kitchen. Property is fenced & cr-fenced into several pastures of improved grasses.
Barns. Ponds. Good location. Asking \$239,000 w/TERMS of 25% down, 12% int. years
negotiable.
288 ACRES - Secluded timber & pasture combo, hay barn, pond, fenced & cr-fenced. \$300,000
down, 10% interest, 10 yr. payout. Asking \$201,000!
275.077 ACRES - US highway frontage on showplace, office, equipment/shop bldg., large
metal hay barn w/attached metal corrals and working pens. Pastures of clover & bermuda
are fenced & cr-fenced. Several ponds. Large lakesides.
297 + ACRES - Fenced and

